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SOCIALIST DEPUTATION TO MAHATMA

Jawaharlal Not To Blame

SARDAR ON MAHATMA'S RETIREMENT MOVE

Says Suggestion Originated From Him

NAGPUR, Sept. 27.

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and Dr. Khan Sahib arrived here from Wardha this afternoon and were given a rousing reception at a meeting held in the Town Hall, Mr. M. V. Abhayanker presiding.

Addressing the audience, Sardar Patel deplored the existence of factions in the Congress Party in Nagpur and elsewhere.

Ever since his release, he advised Gandhiji to retire from the Congress, and the press report that Gandhiji's decision to retire from active Congress leadership was a sequel to a letter written to him by Pandit Jawaharlal is unfounded.

Proceeding the Sardar said the effect of the activities of Pandit Malaviya's party in the Assembly would only be the perpetuation of the Communal Award which, the Pandit professed, he was striving to annul.

He appealed for discipline in the Congress ranks and advised the voters to support Mr. Abhayanker, the Congress nominee, in the ensuing Assembly elections.

Dr. Khan Sahib appealed for Hindu-Muslim unity.—United Press.

JAMNALALJI'S PROGRAMME

Sethji Contradicts Press Reports

Seth Jamnalal Bajaj informs the Associated Press that there is no truth in the report appearing in certain papers that he has decided to leave for Europe as he does not want to attend the Congress Session.

What he was contemplating on doctor's advice was that as soon as he was in a position to move from Bombay he should go to a hill station to recoup his health. Even in regard to this he has not decided the place where he should go. He has been considering whether he should go to a place nearby so that he may be available during the Congress Session if necessary or to a distant place like Almora or Ootacamund.—A. P.

MAHATMA'S DECISION TO RETIRE

Hardikar Keeps Mum Over Statement

(From Our Correspondent).

HUBLI, Sept. 27.

At a public meeting of Hubli citizens convened yesterday to consider Mahatmaji's statement, Mr. Kargudri, Secretary, Taluka Congress Committee, favoured the changes suggested by Mahatmaji in order to retain his leadership. The change in the creed was no doubt impracticable. Truth and non-violence were to be liberally interpreted if incorporated in the creed.

A tried and ardent Khadi worker, who has suffered imprisonment more than once, opined that the suggested change in the creed was impracticable and unworkable. If Gandhiji insists on the change it is high time that he should retire from active politics. The insistance on the Spinning Franchise was also inadvisable.

Mr. Devapur, President, Taluka Congress Committee, exhorted the audience to follow Mahatmaji to the letter with full faith in him. There was no question of considering or of discussion on Mahatmaji's statement.

Mr. Waichal, Treasurer, Taluka Congress Committee, was silent about the change in the creed. He only laid stress on the use of Khadi.

Dr. Hardiker and Mr. Virangowda Patil did not express any individual opinion as the Karnatak leaders are going to issue a joint statement on Mahatmaji's recent statement.

"TERRORISTS" FOR BURMA

Migration, Sequel To Increased Police Activity In Bengal?

CALCUTTA, Sept. 27.

According to the Simla correspondent of the "Statesman" the Bengal terrorists or revolutionary suspects, who are alarmed by increased activity of the police in their home province are migrating into Burma where they are said to be forming a new violence party which has attracted the notice of the Burma police.

The correspondent has further learnt that the party has laid its plans for a series of outrages in Rangoon and acquired firearms for the purpose by dealings with alien seamen or opium smugglers.—United Press.

7 KILLED IN HARNOLI RIOT

LAHORE, Sept. 27.

It is authoritatively learnt that in the Harnoli riot seven persons were killed including Rupchand, the Hindu landlord.

The Deputy Commissioner and the Superintendent of Police visited the spot and are making investigations.—A.P.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

The death has occurred of Sir Frederick Charles Allen.

NEXT CONGRESS AT AJMER

AJMER, Sept. 25.

It is authoritatively understood that the District Congress Committee, Ajmer, has suggested Ajmer to be the venue of the next Congress session. The recommendation will come up before the P. C. C. for consideration.

COMPROMISE MOVE

Benares Meeting To Discuss Issue

PEACE PARLEYS AT WARDHA

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 27.

After discussion at Benares on the 30th instant, prominent Congress Socialist leaders like Acharya Narendra Deo, Sampuranand, Jaiprakash and others, it is understood, will proceed to Wardha to meet Mahatma Gandhi in connection with a suggested compromise, on 4th October when an attempt will be made to compose the existing differences and thus prevent any disruption at the Bombay Congress.

Sardar Patel is likely to join the talks.

Mr. Rafi Ahmad Kidwai will also attend.—A. P.

RAID ON BENARES VIDYAPITH

Midnapore Student's Room Searched

BENARES, Sept. 27.

This morning, the City Kotwal with two Sub-Inspectors and 20 constables surrounded the Vidyapith buildings and searched the room of a student named Chanchal Kumar belonging to Midnapore district, Bengal.

Nothing incriminating was found. The police took the statement of the youth privately.

The Kotwal then handed the letter of the Superintendent of Police addressed to Acharya Narendra Deoji, Principal, requesting him to provide every facility to the police in their work.

The search, it is understood, was made on the strehgth of a report by the Bengal C.I.D.—United Press.

LINDBERGH LOOKS AT HAUPTMANN

Dramatic Confrontation In Court

(SPECIAL CABLE).

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.

A dramatic confrontation between Hauptmann and Colonel Lindbergh took place this morning in the Bronx County Courthouse and lasted for about ten minutes.

Lindbergh arrived disguised by horn-rimmed spectacles and cap, and stood among the detectives to view Hauptmann. The visit was the result of his desire to see the prisoner without the latter recognising him.

Hauptmann was later taken to the Court, where he pleaded not-guilty. The District Attorney opposed bail, but the defence claimed that the penal law permitted it and suggested 5,000 dollars. The Court fixed it at 100.000.

30 PER CENT RUBBER QUOTA FOR 1935

(SPECIAL CABLE).

LONDON, Sept. 27.

The "Financial Times" correspondent from Amsterdam states that it is learnt from well-informed quarters that it has been practically settled that rubber restriction quota for the first quarter or half 1935, will be 30 per cent.

Mr. K. F. Nariman photographed with the students of the Fergusson College, Poona, where he delivered an address at the annual gathering on the 24th instant.

Reduced To Skeleton

Kamala Nehru's Condition Causes Anxiety

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 27.

Mrs. Kamala Nehru's temperature at the time of wiring (7p.m.) was 103.8. She is suffering from nausea for quite a long time. Such a high temperature is giving cause for anxiety. She is reduced to skeleton.

Pandit Jawaharlal's release is considered now absolutely essential.—United Press.

"DOCTOR" RUNS AMOK

Slashes City Police Officers With Sword

SHOT AND OVERPOWERED

An infuriated Ayurvedic Doctor who slashed two European Police Officers, two Havildars and another with a sword was shot at thrice, before he was over-powered. The man succumbed to his injuries soon after.

The injured Police Officers are Inspector Bird and Sergeant Butler of the Palton Road Police Station. Both of them received serious injuries, necessitating their removal to St. George's Hospital, where Sergeant Butler, who had received a deep cut on his forearm, was detained and Inspector Bird, who was slashed across the shoulder, was attended to and allowed to return to the Station. Of the two Havildars, one had his nose cut off and the other received three deep wounds on his face, neck and shoulder. Both of them were detained at the G. T. Hospital. Purshottam Giga, who had a deep wound on his face, was attended to at the G. T. Hospital.

The incident was a sequel to the non-payment of rent by F. U. A. Chhawaya, residing at Karwar Street on the third floor of a building belonging to Mr. Ratilal Narsidas.

Deputy Commissioners Wilkins, Reynolds and Superintendents Fern and Smith visited the scene later.

Chhawaya was shot in the abdomen and in the region of the heart, before he collapsed still clinging to the sword with which he had wrought havoc.

STARTS WITH NON-PAYMENT.

It appears that Chhawaya was a tenant in a building belonging to Mr. Ratilal Narsidas and that he had allowed his rent to run into arrears for four months.

On Wednesday, the rent collector of the premises noticed him shifting some of his belongings, and he was about to quit the premises. On Thursday evening, he called upon Chhawaya to pay up, but the demand was treated with contempt, and he is alleged to have shut the door on the face of the rent-collector. Later, the rent-collector with the landlord went up to his room and demanded payment. Chhawaya refused to open the door, when it is stated the landlord pushed the door and it opened. Chhawaya

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REORGANISED N.R.A.

Board Of Five To Administer

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.

It is expected that within the next 24 hours President Roosevelt will appoint a Board of five persons to administer the reorganised N.R.A.—Reuter.

Disqualification Of Politicals To Go

SIMLA ISSUES CIRCULAR

Discretionary Powers Given To Local Govts.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 27.

The Simla correspondent of the "Amritabazar Patrika" learns that as a sequel to the deputation of M.L.A.'s waiting on the Home Member to the Government of India, in connection with eligibility for election of candidates who suffered imprisonment for more than one year for civil disobedience, the Government of India after prolonged deliberations have issued circulars to the Local Governments instructing them not to declare ineligible those candidates on grounds of convictions under Sub-Rule 2 of Rule 5 of Electoral Rules and Regulations of the Legislative Assembly, who were convicted in connection with civil disobedience movement.

The removal of this disqualification does not preclude the Local Governments in withholding their permission in rare cases, according to their own discretion.—United Press.

COMMITTED TO SESSIONS

Accused In Nathuram Murder Case Sticks To His Confession

(From Our Correspondent).

KARACHI, Sept. 27.

At the very first hearing of the sensational case against the Pathan youth, Abdul Qayum for the alleged murder of Maharaj Nathuram Sharma, author of pamphlet entitled "History of Islam," which was held this morning in the Karachi Dist. Prison, evidence on behalf of the prosecution, was completed and the accused was committed to the Sessions by the Additional City Magistrate Mr. Alibux Channa.

STICKS TO CONFESSION

The case lasted for three hours, during which period, ten witnesses were examined.

The accused was represented by Mr. Syed Mohomed Aslam, Barrister-at-Law.

The accused had stuck to his confession, recorded a few days earlier before the same Magistrate and added that he committed the murder of Maharaj Nathuram, because he feared that Maharaj Nathuram would be acquitted in the appeal.

It will be remembered that the deceased, Maharaj Nathuram was sentenced to 18 months rigorous imprisonment and fined Rs. 1000 under section 295-A I.P.C. by Mr. T. V. Thadhani, Additional Sessions Judge of Hyderabad, Sind, for vilifying Prophet Mohomed and Islam, and had been let off on bail till the decision of his appeal on Sept. 20.

When the hearing of his appeal was fixed a crowd of Mohomedans came to the court to demonstrate their resentment against him, and while Mr. Ferrers, Judicial Commissioner and Mr. O'Sullivan, Additional Judicial Commissioner were hearing another appeal, the accused, Abdul Qayum managed to find a seat near the deceased, Nathuram, who was sitting on the second bench, behind the first bench of pleaders, and is alleged to have fatally stabbed Mr. Nathuram in the Abdomen under the very nose of the Judges.

PURCHASE OF KNIFE

At to-day's hearing, a Hindu boy, a shop-keeper aged 14, pointed out the accused as the person, who had purchased the fatal knife from him on the morning of the alleged murder. Another witness, who is a Sheristedar of the Judicial Commissioner's Court deposed that on that day, he heard a shriek in the Court room and he saw the knife in the abdomen of the deceased and its handle in the hands of the accused.

Elaborate police arrangements were made to-day, in connection with the trial.

ADVICE TO EDITORS

Editors of various local papers were summoned by the District Magistrate and asked to exercise restraint in connection with their writings on communal matters.

TRIPARTITE AGREEMENT

Britain, France And Italy Reaffirm Austria's Independence

GENEVA, Sept. 27.

The European political barometer has risen appreciably in consequence of the announcement that an important reaffirmation of Austria's independence by Britain, France and Italy is being issued to-night.

Reports yesterday that Britain failed to see eye to eye with France and Italy evoked misgivings at Paris and Rome, but the new text was referred to London to-day and secured acquiescence.

The agreement is opportune, as the League session terminates to-morrow and the Ministers disperse.—Reuter.

LESSON FOR INDIAN PRINCES

Read Mr. K. F. Nariman's Article On Page 6

BARTHOU SATISFIED

GENEVA, Sept. 27.

Britain's agreement to sign the tripartite declaration on the independence of Austria followed special representations by M. Barthou, who expressed the greatest satisfaction at the British decision. The declaration has been submitted to the Little Entente for adherence if desired.—Reuter.

BRADMAN'S CONDITION

LONDON, Sept. 27.

An official bulletin states that Bradman's improvement, though very slight, is quite definite.—Reuter.

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Write for terms and conditions to the Manager, the "Bombay Sentinel," Red House, Parsee Bazaar Street, Fort.

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QUADRANGULAR CRICKET TOURNAMENT. 1934.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that all applications from Clubs and Schools for space for the erection of stands from which to view the coming Quadrangular Cricket Tournament must reach the Secretary, C/o. Bombay Gymkhana, by WEDNESDAY, October 10th, after which date none will be considered.

The charge will be Rs. 6 per foot and applications will be considered by the Committee, who reserve the right to refuse applications without giving any reason.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership subsisting between Messrs. GURDIAL SINGH, SURMUKH SINGH, GANGA DHAR & B.S. MADHOLE, carrying on their business in the name of Messrs. Dynamiren (Berlin); at 33, Nanabhai Lane, Fort, Bombay with their H. O. at Mussooree has been dissolved with effect from 1-9-34, and the said Messrs. Gurdial Singh and Surmukh Singh have ceased to be the partners of the concern from the said date, with the consent of the other two partners

Dated this 27th day of Sept. 1934
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Legal Notices.

SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

Suit No. 1366 of 1932.

MEGHJEE HIRJEE JANGEALI of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant a Merchant, residing at 21 Kazi Syed Street, Mandvi, outside the Fort of Bombay. ..... Plaintiff.

versus.

(1). POONSEY HIRJI MAISERY, (2) RATANSEY VIRJI. (3.) SHAMJI HEMRAJ, (4.) KIRPAL SHAMJEE JIVANI, (5.) JIVRAJ NARSEY, (6.) RATANSEY CHAPSEY, (7.) PADAMSEY DAMJEE KHONA, (8.) NARSEY SHAMJI, (9) MEGHJI GOVINDJI, (10.) KUVERJI NARPAR. All Cutchi Dassa Oswal Jain Hindu Inhabitants, residing at Mandvi, outside the Fort on behalf of themselves and all other members of the Jain Cutchi Dassa Oswal Mahajan. ..... Defendants.

WHEREAS by a decree made in the above suit on the 24th day of March, 1933, it was ordered that the second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth defendants do pay to the Plaintiff, his costs of the suit when taxed and noted in the margin hereof and that in the event of the Plaintiff being unable to recover his said costs or any part thereof from the said Defendants or any of them, such costs do come out of the Funds and property of the caste, i.e., Jain Cutchi Dassa Oswal,

And whereas by a Warrant of attachment of moveable property, dated the 13th day of August, 1934, the following moveable property, namely, one big lot of large and small utensils and copper pots, thalas etc., was attached,

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The price of the bid to be paid for at the time of sale.

For further information and conditions of sale, application should be made at the office of the Sheriff of Bombay or at the Office of Messrs: Jehangir Mehta and Somjee, Attorneys for the Plaintiff at Bell Lane, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1934.
SULEMAN C. H. MITHA.
Sheriff of Bombay.
3975.

BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

Civil Appointments

The appointment of Mr. S. V. Joshi, B.A. (Cantab.), as temporary Assistant Commissioner of Labour is extended till the end of December 1934.

Mr. W. Hallows, Inspector of Factories, Bombay, is granted leave on average pay for two months in India from the 17th September 1934.

The Governor has placed the services of Mr. E. Weston, I.C.S., at the disposal of the Government of India for employment as Judicial Commissioner in the States of Western India and the Gujrat States vice Mr. D. R. Norman, I.C.S.,

The leave granted to Mr. M. E. Guider, Superintendent of Police, Bombay City, up to the 30th September 1934, is extended up to the 15th October 1934.

The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Reverend J. F. W. Ruddell, on arrival, to be Chaplain of Ghorpuri vice the Reverend H. R. Stansfield transferred.

The services of the Rev. H. R. Stansfield, on relief, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Aden.

The Reverend R. A. Bontoft, whose services are being placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, to be Assistant Chaplain, Karachi, vice the Reverend F.G.H. Tambling.

The Reverend H. G. S. Kennedy, whose services also are being placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, to be Additional Chaplain, Karachi.

The Reverend M. W. McCaul, Officiating Presidency Senior Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Bombay, and Senior Chaplain, St. Andrew's Church, Bombay, is granted, long leave preparatory to retirement from 10th November 1934.

Mr. R. E. Gibson, C.I.E., I.C.S., is granted leave on average pay for four months and 12 days followed by leave on half average pay for one month and 22 days from 23rd April 1935.

Mr. V. L. Parmar, F.R.C.S. (Eng.), to be Professor of Operative Surgery, Grant Medical College, Bombay, and Surgeon, J. J. Hospital, Bombay, for a further period of five years from 26th September 1934.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. Foster, I.A.S.C. (Retired), Lay Secretary for Hospital Administration, is granted leave on full pay for one month from 24th September 1934.

Dr. B. B. Hingorani, M.B.B.S. (Bom.), to be Honorary Medical Officer for Ear, Nose and Throat Diseases for a period of three years.

Captain K. T. Thadani, M.B.B.S., to be Honorary Clinical Pathologist for a period of three years.

Dr. K. B. Kanga, L.M. & S. (Bom.), F.R.C.S.E., to be Honorary Surgeon for a further period of three years from 1st October 1934.

Mr. G. B. Jathar, I.E.S., Professor of History and Political Economy, Karnatak College, Dharwar, to officiate as Principal and Professor of History and Political Economy, Elphinstone College Bombay.

Dr. S. G. Panandikar, I.E.S., Professor of History and Political Economy Elphinstone College, Bombay, to do duty as Professor of History and Political Economy, Karnatak College, Dharwar, vice Mr. Jathar.

Mr. G. C. Banerji, to be Professor of English at the Elphinstone College, Bombay, from the 10th November 1934 to 8th March 1935 in the temporary post in Bombay Educational Service, Class I, created during Mr. Hamill's absence on leave.

Mr. C. G. Hawes, M.C., B.Sc. (Lon.), A.C.G.I., M. Inst. C.E., I.S.E., Executive Engineer, Development and Research Division, is granted leave on average pay for four months, combined with leave on half average pay for nine months and ten days, from 15th September 1934.

Mr. W. F. Bushby, A.C.G.I., A.M. Inst. C.E., I.S.E., Executive Engineer, Karachi Canals Divisions, to be Executive Engineer, Development and Research Division.

CZECHOSLOVAKIAN INDUSTRIES

Dr. P. P. Klemens, Consul for Czechoslovakia in Bombay, delivered a lecture, with film demonstration, to the members of the Three Arts Circle on Tuesday last.

The film depicted the main industries of Czechoslovakia and the actual working thereof as well as an Agricultural Fair held in Prague. The film further illustrated, among others, the manufactures of iron and steel, machines, locomotives, cars, lorries, the fabrication and installation of turbines, plants and high power lines; the spinning and weaving of cotton, silk and woollen goods. Manufacturing of paper was remarkable inasmuch as it was shown from its primary stage, i.e., from transportation of wood from the forest to the process of making fine white sheets of paper. Edible fats, soaps and sugar (from beet roots) making was also shown.

The last item showing the manufacture of glassware of all kinds and especially bangles supplied by Czechoslovakia to India was shown completely.

BALANCE OF TRADE

Dr. Klemens after giving an outline of Czechoslovakia from different points of view explained how important lines of Czechoslovak imports were lost through industrialisation in India, Protective Customs Duties and Ottawa Preferences. He insisted on the fact that Czechoslovakia, buys 2 1/2 times more from India than it sells to it and pointed out that in the near future steps may be taken to bring about a just trade balance between these two countries.

Continuing the lecturer gave the history of glass making and selling in the world and especially in Czechoslovakia and related at the end the story of the life and success of Thomas Bata (the cobbler who conquered the world in shoe trade).

B. D. PETIT GENERAL HOSPITAL

"NET DEFICIT OF RS. 5,54,226 FROM INCEPTION OF INSTITUTION UPTO END OF 1933".

The Bomanjee Dinshaw Petit Parsee General Hospital, authorities have issued their 22nd, Administration Report for the year ended 31st December 1933, from which the following extracts are given:—

The year opened with 48 patients remaining over in the hospital at the end of the previous year, which, added to 865 new admissions, made during the year under review, brings the total number of patients treated during the period to 913, out of whom 460 were adult males, 390 adult females and 63 children. Out of this total, 559 were treated in the medical department, 295 in the surgical department, 36 in the obstetric department, 14 in the gynaecological department and 9 in the ophthalmic department. The figures for the total admissions and the number of patients treated during the year under review, viz., 865 and 913, when compared with those of the previous year, viz., 750 and 797, show a slight increase of 115 and 116 respectively.

FREE PATIENTS.

Out of 913 patient treated during the year under review, 217 paid full fees, 235 paid reduced fees and 461 were absolutely free. This bears ample testimony to the fact that a large majority viz., 48.62 per cent of the total number of patients treated during the year under review, were absolutely free patients. Out of the total number, 442 were cured, 296 were discharged relieved or at their own request, 112 died and 61 remained in the hospital for treatment during the following year

Out of the 112 deaths recorded during the year, 19 took place within 1 day, 8 within 2 days, 8 within 3 days, 3 within 4 days, 2 within 5 days, 3 within 6 days and 4 within 7 days after admission.

During the period under review, there were 21 live-births and 3 still-births.

During the year under review, the in-patients, were treated in the hospital for 21,835 total treatment days, out of which there were 5,882 full-fee treatment days, 5,336 reduced-fee treatment days and 10,617 absolutely free treatment days. This shows a percentage of 26.94 for full-fee treatment days, 24.44 for reduced-fee treatment days and 48.62 for absolutely-free treatment days. The total number of treatment days for the year under review, viz., 21,835, when compared with the number for the previous year, viz., 18,003, shows an increase of 3,832 treatment days.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.

On referring to the income and expenditure account for the actual working of the hospital, it will be found that on the whole, taking every source of income into consideration and after providing for and setting aside as much as Rs. 2,06,982-12-1 for depreciation on buildings, instruments, dead stock, linen, etc., from the beginning of the hospital upto date, there was a total net deficit of Rs. 5,54,226-9-9 as from the beginning of the hospital upto the end of the period under review. For the year under report, there was a loss of Rs. 5,690-5-8, inclusive of depreciation.

The total amount of subscriptions promised upto the end of 1933 was Rs. 40,12,092, including the total as at the end of the year 1932, viz., 39,92,143, referred to in the twenty-first administration report, thus showing Rs. 19,949 as the total amount of additional subscriptions promised during the year under review. Against this, the amount credited during the year under review, including adjustments was Rs. 22,362-3-11 which included the amounts realised on account of the subscriptions that had remained uncollected out of the amount of subscriptions announced as at the end of 1932.

BUMPER DECLARATION OF DIVIDENDS

Sitaram Mill Celebrates Silver Jubilee

(From A Correspondent).

TRICHUR, Sept. 26.

The Silver Jubilee of the Trichur Sitaram Spinning and Weaving Mills, Limited, was celebrated yesterday with Sir C. V. Anantha Krishna Ayyar in the chair.

Dewan Bahadur T. R. Ramachandra Ayyar, President, Madras Bar Association, welcomed the President and guests in a neat speech referring to the origin and growth of the concern.

Sir Anantha Krishna Ayyar in his presidential address congratulated the management in the steady progress achieved by the Mills and the bumper declaration of dividends. He thanked the Cochin Darbar for the timely help rendered to the Mills.

The portrait of the Managing Director, Mr. Balarama Ayyar presented by the Mill Agents all over India was unveiled by Prince Rama Varma Thampuran of the Cochin Ruling family. Medals were presented to the Mill subordinates who had put in a service of 25 years.

THEFT OF Rs. 200 FROM POST-OFFICE

REWA, Sept. 26.

A mysterious disapparance of an insured cover, containing Rs. 200, in Government currency notes, is reported to have occurred during the working hours, from the Satna Post Office.

It appears that while the clerks were busy at work, somebody stole the cover.

The Rewa State police on receipt of information, hurried to the spot and started investigation, but could not trace the missing cover.

The Government police of Nowgaong has also taken up the investigations.—United Press.

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Widows' Home Aids Country's Progress

Governor Visits Poona Institution And Pays Tribute To Work Of Prof. Karve

His Excellency the Governor of Bombay speaking at the Hindu Widows' Home, Poona, on Wednesday evening said:

We must all agree with what Mr. Kamat has said about the position of girl-widows in Hindu society forty years ago. The position rigidly prescribed for them by custom and social conventions certainly constituted a very difficult problem for Hindu society. I think we must all agree also that the lines on which Professor Karve has been working in this institution to deal with that problem are the right ones. Attempts have been made of recent years both in India and elsewhere to deal with similar problems by legislation which is in advance of public opinion. We have all seen how ineffective such attempts have often proved. Professor Karve has adopted the wiser and obviously more effective course of first of all attempting to alleviate the conditions of life to which Hindu widows are committed by custom, and to educate public opinion towards the final solution of this problem. He deserves the heartiest congratulations of all present, and indeed of all inhabitants of Western India, on what he has already achieved and the great success that has attended his efforts.

WIDOWS' HOME.

It is particularly interesting also to see that the institution of the Widows' Home has led almost automatically to the foundation and development of the Indian Women's University. This too is obviously an institution of paramount importance and influence in the progress and development of India. I have always felt that India's progress must be seriously impeded by the different standards of education prevailing amongst males and females. I find that in this Presidency the number of women students attending colleges is in the neighbourhood of 1,000 only, and that there is only one girl for every five boys in Secondary Schools. Even in Primary Schools the proportion is only one to three. It must be expected that, while this state of affairs prevails, the progress of the country must inevitably be seriously hampered. Institutions such as this deserve therefore the heartiest support of all who are anxious to see the country's progress assisted by the removal of these inequalities and the provision of adequate facilities for women for Secondary and Higher Education.

SUTTA CONVICTION QUASHED

Judges Give Benefit Of Doubt

Mr. Justice Murphy and Mr. Justice Sen at the High Court delivered judgment in the revision application filed by Faridoon Rashid against the sentence of a fine of Rs 125 passed on him by the Presidency Magistrate, 5th Court, under the Prevention of Gambling Act.

Their Lordships, in acquitting the petitioner, held that there was not sufficient evidence to sustain the charge that the petitioner was the owner or occupier of a liquor shop used for the purpose of gaming.

The prosecution case was that the police sent a punter with marked coins to a liquor shop to lay bets on "satta" figures, and that after the bets were laid, the place was raided by the police. As the result of a search, two "satta" chits and a slate containing entries of satta bets were recovered from the premises. The petitioner was one of the three persons in the shop at that time. In this connection, four persons were put on trial, of whom two were acquitted, and two including the petitioner were convicted.

In their judgment, their Lordships observed that the magistrate had held that the two slips of paper and the slate were instruments of gaming.

Informant As Expert.

Witness Ravishankar Dave, who was once the chief agent of the Anti-gambling League and claimed special knowledge of 'Satta' betting entries had deposed that the chief characteristics of a "Satta" betting entry was that it contained the punter's name, the figure backed and the amount of the bet, and that all these characteristics were found in the entries on the slate.

The petitioner's explanation was that the various symbols used in the two slips of paper stood for business transactions, like liquor given on credit, etc. He further stated that he was not at all responsible for the entries on the slate.

More Suspicious Than Slips

The slate, in their lordships' opinion appeared to be a more suspicious document than the slips of paper though the fact could not be ignored that the same symbols were used in both.

It did not appear to their lordships that the petitioner's explanation was so incredible or impossible as the Magistrate had found it to be. It was likely that "satta" betting was going on in the shop at least with the petitioner's connivance, but in the circumstances of the case, he deserved to be given the benefit of the doubt in that respect. Their lordships were unable to hold that the slips were proved to be instruments of gaming or that any responsibility in respect of the state could be fastened on the petitioner.

Their lordships, therefore, quashed the petitioner's conviction and sentence and acquitted him.

Mr. H. C. Koyaji and Mr. N. T. Jungalwala with Mr. M B Anklesaria appeared for the petitioner, Mr. P. B. Shinyne, Government Pleader, appeared for the crown.

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PYDHONI STABBING CASE

Quarrel Over Borrowed "Dhankush" Ends In Use Of Knife

The story behind the stabbing incident that took place on Wednesday on Narayan Dhuru Street, Pydhonie was related on Thursday before the Presidency Magistrate, Second Court, Mazagaon, when Madarmayi Bannumayi was put up for remand by the police.

It appears that Abdul Rehman Abdul Anjey lent the accused a wooden Dhankush (an instrument used for exercise) a year back The accused failed to return it to its actual owner.

On Wednesday, the accused met Abdul Rehman on Narayan Dhuru Street and drew a knife. Rehman, seeing this is stated to have struck the accused with a "malacca" cane which he had in his hand. The cane broke.

He then grappled with the accused and in the scuffle that ensued, the accused is alleged to have stabbed Rehman on the back.

The injured man, however, was able to overpower the accused and hold him down till the police arrived on the scene of action.

Rehman was removed to the Hospital for treatment and it is surmised that he is suffering from injury to the kidneys.

The accused was remanded to police custody by the Magistrate till October 11.

DARYASTAN STREET OUTRAGE

Two Suspects Arrested And Remanded

Two suspects, alleged to have been responsible for the assault on and death of Heera Fakira recently, were arrested by the Pydhonie Police on Thursday morning.

The assult took place last Saturday when Heera Fakira was returning home along Daryastan Street. In the darkness of the night some unknown persons set upon him and severely belaboured him.

Heera died the next day at the Hospital as the result of "rupture of the stomach".

Inquiries made by the Police resulted in the arrest of three persons, Vithu Mahadeo, Rama Mahadeo and Laxman Sakaram. Of these, Vithu Mahadeo was discharged by the Magistrate as there was no incriminating evidence against him, while the other two are still in police custody.

Sitaram Ragu and Sakharam Govind, were placed on Thursday before Mr. I. S. Haji, Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon, and were remanded to police custody till October 1. The accused it is stated, have been identified by witnesses as two of the persons who assaulted the deceased.

HUMANITARIAN CONFERENCE

Reception Committee Appeals For Financial Support

The Chairman of the Reception Committee of the All-India Humanitarian Conference, writes:

It is gratifying to learn that humanitarian public and societies all over India have appreciated the move of the Bombay Humanitarian League to hold the All-India Humanitarian Conference and Silver Jubilee celebrations in the last week of October.

The election of Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya as President of the Conference has been welcomed by all concerned.

Almost all Provinces are likely to be represented. It is expected that most of the leaders of Provinces who will be here to attend the Congress, will also attend the Humanitarian Conference. This will greatly add to its importance.

Babu Rajendra Prasadji, who by his recent untiring efforts to save thousands of distressed men and cattle in Bihar, has proved himself to be a great humanitarian, conveys his full sympathy for the functions and expresses his intention to attend the same.

Similarly Sjt. M. R. Jayakar, who is a firm friend of the cause, has also intimated his intention to attend. Various other leaders have similarly written to us.

Appeal To Citizens.

The Conference, therefore, promises to be a very useful function. Now it rests with the philanthropic public of Bombay to stand by us and contribute their mite. If matters were to be judged from deep sentiment ingrained in the hearts of people for 'Ahimsa,' thousands should have joined voluntarily the Reception Committee so far. But the number is quite inadequate, we have to appeal to the humanitarians of Bombay to help as under (1) send donations, (2) become members of the Reception Committee or contribute Rs. 100, 50 or 30 and get 5, 4 or 3 tickets in the Reserved class. It may be noted that donors of Rs. 50 and upwards will be considered vice-chairmen of the Reception Committee. Very few days are now left. Moral and financial support is badly needed. Since we do not think it proper to approach any body personally to press for donations, we shall feel obliged if the generous public response to this appeal by sending donations and joining as Reception Committee members in thousands.

STUDENT COMMITS SUICIDE

Sequel To Failure In Passing G. D. A. Exam.

Melancholy interest attaches to a tragic case of suicide by drowning of a young Nair graduate of the Madras University who was one among the numerous failures in the G.D.A. Examination held in April last.

The story, reported from Tellicherry, North Malabar, is related in the columns of "Mathrubhumi" a prominent Malayalam Daily of Calicut.

The young man was a native of Nettur, an up-country place of the locality, and was aged 24. He had already passed his B.A. and had appeared for the 1934 April Examination of the G.D.A., but failed to secure a pass.

Since September 20, the deceased had been missing from his place.

Anxious friends and relations scoured the neighbourhood for 2 days, and at last, on 22nd last, found, to their horror, his body floating in a stream near Koduvalli Bridge, one mile North of Tellicherry Railway Station.

No marks of violence or injury on the body were found. The deceased, had his coat on, and on search, a letter was found in the pocket that gave a clue to the cause of suicide. The letter was addressed to the Tellicherry Town Police Sub-Inspector.

In it he stated that he was "disgusted with the dishonesty and chicanery existing in an unkind world" which led him to discard his life "as a sacrifice", The letter concluded with the anxious wish that the reason for his sacrifice of life be communicated to Mahatma Gandhi.

It is surmised that the youth was soured by ruminating on his failure to acquire such a useful certificate as the G.D.A., which, had been made impossible, the examination itself having been abolished by the G.D.A. Board.

After police and post-mortem investigations the body was given burial on Saturday last.

FOUND LOITERING IN PALACE GROUNDS

Man With Three Convictions Arrested By Police

Saju Bhagwanju found loitering in the premises of the palace of Maharaja of Baroda, was arrested by the Gamdevi Police on Wednesday, and placed before Mr. I. N. Mehta, Magistrate, Girgaum, to-day.

It is stated that the accused could not give any satisfactory explanations of his movements. He had three previous convictions to his credit.

The Magistrate granted the application for remand, pending further inquiries by the police.

Muslims & Tata Iron Works

Mr. M. H. Rahman Sadiq writes from Simla:—

Mr. M. H. Rahman Sadiq in his pamphlet "Sad plight of the Muslims in the Tata Iron and Steel Company" and the Hon. Hussain Imam, member of the Council of State in his letter, have dealt exhaustively with the question of the employment of Muslims in the Tata Iron and Steel Company, Jamshedpur. Also, in the Indian papers published throughout India, sufficient light has been thrown on the subject and for a long time Ahmadiya Anjaman Ishaat Islam Lahore corresponded with the authorities concerned in this connection.

At last, the matter came under consideration in the Legislative Assembly, and later in the Council of State and the Muslim members of the Legislature discussed it fully. Their views have appeared in the proceedings of both the Houses.

Sir Nowroji Saklatwala Tata Sons Ltd., Chairman Mr. A. R. Dalal and Mr. H. P. Mody, MLA, Directors, informally talked over the matter with the Muslim members of the Assembly and the Council of State and made promises to redress the grievances, but the Muslim members were not satisfied and Dr. Mirza Yakub Beg, Vice-President of the Ahmadiya Anjuman Ishaat-Islam, was sent for and he talked over the matter with the Muslim members of the Assembly for about a week. Later, in the final conversation with the Director and Chairman of the Tata Company, the latter tried to convince Dr. Sahib that whatever be the experiences of the past, no loophole for complaint will be given to the Muslims in the future and their interest will be fully safeguarded. In the end a convention was arrived at between Mr. H. P. Mody, MLA Director and Mr. H. Rahman Sadiq in which it was agreed that the latter will cease all propaganda against the Tata Company till February 1935, and if in the meantime the Company safeguarded the interest of Muslims so much the better, otherwise the propaganda will be renewed. However, Mr. Mody gave an assurance that as far as possible they will safeguard the interest of Muslims and give no cause for complaint on that score.

Nathdwara Temple Offerings Dispute

Parties Reach Agreement For Submission To Judge

Before Mr. Justice Tyebji at the High Court on Thursday a notice of motion was made in the suit now pending in which Shri Damodarlalji, claims to be the legal heir of his deceased father Shri Goverdhanlalji, late Tilakayat Maharaj of Nathdwara.

It will be recalled that some months ago an application was made by some Vaishnava devotees that the properties in dispute really belonged to the idols of Shri Nathji and Shri Navnitpriyaji in the Nathdwara temples, and that, therefore, the interests of the idols should be safeguarded in this suit.

Accordingly, the High Court directed the idols to be joined as defendants and had appointed Mr. Ranchhordas Patwari as the Guardian "ad litem" of the idols to represent their interest in the suit.

Claim For Offerings

The notice of motion on Thursday was by Mr. Patwari on behalf of the idols asking for an order that the offerings made by devotees for the idols in the Bombay "pedhi" of Shri Nathji be directed to be sent to the idols at Nathdwara.

Mr. M. C. Setalvad with the Advocate-General, instructed by Messrs. Bhaishankar Kanya and Girdharlal, appeared for the petitioner Mr. Patwari.

Mr. Bhulabhai J. Desai with Mr. C. K. Daphtary, instructed by Messrs. Kamdar and Co., Solicitors, appeared for Damodarlalji and Mr. B. K. Desai represented Shri Govindlalji, the minor son of Damodarlalji, who is the 7th defendant in the suit.

Idols To Get Half.

It was contended for the petitioner that though the offerings in Bombay were made for the Nathdwara idols, they were being retained here by the receivers who were in charge of the Bombay properties.

If the offerings were not sent to the idols for which they were meant, there would be a considerable falling off in the offerings.

For Damodarlalji it was submitted that, as he claimed to be the heir to the properties the offerings should not be sent to Nathdwara, but should continue to remain with the receivers till the final disposal of the suit.

In this matter, an agreement was reached between the parties that half the offerings should be sent to Nathdwara.

His Lordship accordingly passed a consent order.

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Himat And Naidor Have Improved Very Much

(By Our Special Correspondent)

POONA, Sept. 27.

The following gallops were noted during the week:—

BULAND (Riding Boy) shaped well in a mile spin on the tan. Fit.

LOCHMORE (Obaid) was sent a mile. Has improved very much.

LADY BRENDAN (Little) went 7 furlongs on the tan, moving very well. Has retained her form.

CRUSTY (Riding Boy) showed to advantage over 7 furlongs on the tan. Watch him.

KNIGHT'S ADVENTURE (Bell) was exercised over a mile on the tan. Pleased immensly.

BELLE LEGEND (Walker) and HEYDAY (Riding Boy) finished closely over 5 furlongs. The former will run well.

CHEBLI (Obaid) proved superior to BRIDGETHORN (Forsyth) over 6 furlongs on the tan. The former must be noted.

GRECIAN ORB (Riding Boy) put up a smart 6 furlongs gallop on the tan. Can win when required.

GOLDEN TRAIL (Riding Boy) beat ACHIEVE (Riding Boy) by 3 lengths in a 6 furlongs gallop on the tan.

CASH SWEEP (Stead) and BEDSOCKS (Brace) finished abreast over 6 furlongs on the race track.

FAIRFORD (Marrable) was too good for DOREDA (Bell) over 6 furlongs.

RAGHUBEER (Stead) held MISS MOUNT (Clarke) over 6 furlongs.

HIMAT (Selby) showed to advantage against HATLESS (Graham) in a 6 furlongs trial on the tan. Keep an eye on the former.

TADEMA (Selby) gave satisfaction in a 6 furlongs gallop with LONE DOLLAR (Bullock).

CLAIRETTE (Bullock) was superior to BETTY BOOP (Selby) over 6 furlongs.

GRAND RAJA (Forsyth) beat RAJPYARI (Bhimrao) over 6 furlongs on the tan.

THORNHAM (Harding) was given a fast burst over 6 furlongs in the company of BUTTERFLY (Riding Boy). The former can win if wanted.

GREEK JACK (Evans) shaped well against SLY ABBOT (Reynolds) over 6 furlongs.

PERMARCH (Evans) finished in front of MISS FISHER (Revnolds) in a 6 furlongs gallop.

REDRESS (Obaid) impressed in a 6 furlongs gallop on the tan. Should win if she leaves barrier.

RIMMON (Raffaele) beat ZARANE (Little) and AWAY (Riding Boy) over 6 furlongs.

IRISH SHADOW (Stead) travelled 6 furlongs. Fair.

ASCALON (Stead) covered 6 furlongs. Fair.

NAIDOR (Alford) prevailed over RAHINDERRY (O'Neale) in a 6 furlongs gallop.

Both KNIGHT AT ARMS (Brace) and SANGUINE (Riding Boy) pleased in a mile gallop on the race track.

SPRING SONG (Graham) went a mile in taking style.

QUARRY (Dillon) finished resolutely over 6 furlongs.

BLUE FUNNEL (Brace) extended GOODBYE (Riding Boy) over 6 furlongs. Watch the latter.

SILVER LINING (Stead) went 7 furlongs on the tan. She is looking light.

VITA (Riding Boy) accompanied COLLECTOR (Riding Boy) in a mile gallop on the tan. Both are in good condition.

HAKIM PASHA (Riding Boy) gave a smart gallop over a mile.

SHINIAR (O'Neale) was sent a mile on the tan. Fair.

BROKER (Riding Boy) covered a mile. Fair.

RED FLOWER (Raffaele) showed up over a mile on the tan, AMRITSAR (Riding Boy) joining in over the last 6 furlongs. Ignore former's last run.

AMIR (Obaid) gave satisfaction over 6 furlongs.

FAUST (Raffaele) was too speedy for ZENOBIA (Little) in a 6 furlongs gallop. The former should about win.

FARHAN PASHA (Riding Roy) was fair over 6 furlongs.

FORAT (Riding Boy) shaped very well over 6 furlongs. Watch him.

NAYAZI (Riding Boy) demonstrated that he is in excellent trim when sent 6 furlongs on the race track.

NASIB AL ZAMAN (Brace) gave a sound display over 5 furlongs. Has reached his best.

ACE OF HEARTS (Obaid) beat a stablemate in easy fashion over 6 furlongs. The former will bear watching.

The following should be noted: ROYAL CROWN, MAL ALLAH, COPPER KING, SILVER FISH, ZAININ, ADHBA II, MAHOOT, TAIR AL ZAMAN and SUHAIL PASHA.

FINAL ENTRIES FOR ECLIPSE STAKES OF INDIA

The following are the complete entries for the Eclipse Stakes of India to be run in Bombay next February.

The Eclipse Stakes of India of Rs. 75,000, of which Rs. 50,000 will go to the winner, Rs. 17,000 to the second, Rs. 8,000 to the third (for horses 5 years old and 4 years old at the time of starting).

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FIRST ENTRIES CLOSED ON 2ND JULY 1934.

Mr. Edward Esmond's (b e c) Necker (Craig an Eran —imp. Necklace II, 3 years).

Lord Rosebery's (b e c) Flamenco (Flamingo—Valescure, 3 years).

Mr. M. M. Boussac's (ch e c) Astyanax (Asterus—Likka, 3 years).

Mr. M. M. Boussac's (ch e c) Negundo (Banstar—Very Pretty, 4 years).

H. H. Maharaja of Rajpipla's (ch e g) Invercannie (Ethnarch—Rosedale, 4 years).

H. H. Maharaja of Rajpipla's (b e f) Betty Boop (late Betty Boob) (Embargo—Waiting, 3 years).

H. H. the Maharaja of Kashmir's (g e c) Camping (Cadum—Royal Camp, 4 years).

H. H. the Maharaja of Kashmir's (br or br e c) Quartz II (Epinard—Queenly, 4 years).

Nawabzada Yemin-ul-Mulk's (ch e g) Restormel (Diomedes—La France, 4 years).

H. H. Maharaja of Kolhapur's (b e g) Criss Cross (Gay Crusader—Miss Wiss, 4 years).

H. H. Maharaja of Kolhapur's (b or br e g) Diamond Shower (late Ilion) (Diomedes—Irenia, 4 years).

H. H. Maharaja of Kolhapur's (b e g) Powder Boy (Call Boy—Zenobia, 4 years).

H. H. Maharaja of Kolhapur's (br. or bk e g) Vijaya Kumar II (late Sovran) (Winalot—Golden Rocket, 4 years).

H. H. Maharaja of Kolhapur's (ch e g) Golden Spear (Stratford—Golden Horn, 3 years).

H. H. Maharaja of Kolhapur's (g e c) Chebli (Boscombe—La Chiffa II, 4 years).

The Hon'ble Sir H. M. Mehta's (b aus g) The Dawn Patrol (imp.) (The Night Patrol—Etherian, 5 years).

Mr. Eve's (g e g) Risque (Prestissimo—Pride of Priestown, 4 years).

Mr. Eve's (b e g) Misty Dawn (Buchan—Dawn, 4 years).

Mr. Eve's (g e c) Cash Sweep (Winolot—Fete, 3 years).

Mr. Eve's (g e f) Provence Rose (Prestissimo—Gay Rose, 3 years).

Mr. Eve's (br or bl e g) World's Work (Santorb—Fretwork, 3 years).

Messrs. A. C. Ardeshir and P. D. Bolton's (b e g) Castleton (Knight of the Garter—Primtoi, 4 years).

Messrs. A. C. Ardeshir and P. D. Bolton's (ch aus f) Maid of Orleans (Heroic—Spearette, 4 years).

Mr. Kelso's (br e c) Centoi (Achtoi—Germinal, 4 years).

Mr. Shantidas Askuran's (br e g) Starford (Blanford—Glenstella, 3 years).

Mr. P. B. Avasia's (ch e g) Sabrino (Prince Galahad—Sabra, 4 years).

Mr. P. B. Avasia's (br e g) Dr. Strabismus (Torlonia—Beechmount 4 years).

Mrs. F. G. Travers' (ch e g) Palla (Salmon Trout—Mirawala, 4 years).

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The Aligarh Muslim University XI played the Hindu Gymkhana in a two-day match at the Kennedy Sea Face on Wednesday. The Muslim skipper is in the centre of the group with Champak Mehta (local captain) on his right

Acceptances For Saturday's Races

Long Card Of Ten Events Commences At 1-45 p. m.

The following are the acceptances for the First Day of the Poona Autumn Meeting to be held on Saturday:—

1st Race: 1-45 p. m.

THE BAHREIN PLATE. Distance—1 Mile, 1 Furlong.

Winner, Rs. 1,250; second Rs. 400; third, Rs. 250.

For Arabs in Class III. W. A. reduced 7lbs. Penalties.—Winners after 31st October, 1933, of a race value Rs. 1,200 or over once, 7lbs; twice, 12 lbs.; oftener, 16 lbs. Allowance.—Ponies 14 hands and under, 4 lbs.

Azdashir 9-5; Bill Agil 9-3; Kummer 9-3; Mherab 9-0; Kurdi 9-3; Isfan 9-3; Zainin 9-0; Murat 8-10; Sa'ada II 8-10; Taj Najiyab 8-10; Kanda 8-7; Royal Crown 8-7; Al Barg 8-7; Vortex 8-7; Ace of Hearts 8-0; Punjab 8-7; Al Mandoob 8-7; Platoon 8-7; Dhubooh 8-7; Karim Beg 8-7; Dandy Duke 8-7; Alharith 8-0; Havana 8-0; Jaffal 8-0; Nayib al Muluk 8-0; Flower Bed 8-0; Barkhat 8-0.

2nd Race: 2-15 p. m.

THE DECCAN PLATE. Distance.—1 Mile.

Winner, Rs. 1,700; second, Rs. 600; third, Rs. 250. A Handicap for Indian Horses in Class IV.

Truro 10-2; Honeysuckle 8-12; Rose-water 10-0; Sanguine 8-5; Czardas 7-2; Prince Shivaji 8-5; Poetry 7-5; Malaya 7-2; Krishna Kumar 7-2; Spring Song 6-12; Navroz Charm 6-12.

3rd Race: 2-45 p. m.

THE ARAB CONSOLATION PLATE. (Division II). Distance.—6 Furlongs.

Winner Rs. 1,250; second, Rs. 400; third, Rs. 250. For Arabs in Class III which have not won a race value Rs. 1,200 or over after 31st March, 1934. Allowance.—Maiden 7lbs., Ponies 14 hands and under 4lbs.

Baji 9-3; Colombo 9-3; Wurud Pasha 9-3; Kummer 9-3; Nash Nash 9-3; Taj Saud 9-3; Pallazaman 9-3; Al Capone 9-1; The Knut 8-4; Khalil 9-1; Chief Mate 8-11; Copper King II 8-11; Laurence 8-11; Faust 8-11; Gurjistan 8-11; Nasib al Zaman 8-11; Goodbye 8-11; Silver Fish 8-11; Nayazi 8-11; English Star 8-11; Madras 8-11; Gold Bar 8-10; Forat 8-9; Hadban Beg 8-8; Varela 8-8; Taj Bahadur 8-5; Adnan 8-4; Jaffal 8-4; Nahab 8-4; Kabul 8-4; King Fuad 7-8; Homer 7-2.

4th Race: 3-15 p. m.

THE ARAB CONSOLATION PLATE (Division I).—Distance 6 Furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 1,250; second Rs. 400; third, Rs 250.

For Arabs in Class III which have not won a race value Rs. 1,200 or over after 31st March, 1934. Allowance—Maiden 7lbs., Ponies 14 hands and under 4lbs.

Kayid Saud 9-3; Mal Allah 9-1; Almas 7-9; Mahoot 9-1; Suhail Pasha 8-13; Faithful 8-13; Strephon 8-13; Hilarity 8-11; Bhawani Talwar II 8-11; Regent 8-4; Amir 8-11; Mosul King 8-11; Soomair 8-11; Kandahar 8-11; Maneck's Hope 8-11; Farhan Pasha 8-10; No Limit 8-9; Najman 8-8; Khalid 8-5; Shara'a al Jamil 8-5; Mooshir 8-4; Wansa 8-4; Ya Hoom 8-4; Rashash 8-4; Poppy Day 8-4; Tir al Zaman 8-4; Zobba 8-4; Imperial 7-12; Zenobia 7-9; Amritsar 7-8; Harry Johnson 7-2.

5th Race: 3-45 p. m.

THE CURRAGH PLATE. (Division II).—Distance. 6 Furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 1,700; second, Rs 600; third, Rs 250. A Handicap for Horses in Class IV.

Betty Boop 9-2; Miss Mount 9-2; Ballintoy 8-12; Silver Lady II 7-11; Grand Raja 8-12; Thornham 8-11; Rimmon 8-9; Miss Fisher 8-8; Burnley 8-7; Forecat 8-4; Ascalon 8-4; Away 7-11; Bachelor's Bess 7-7; Roseville 7-2; Over 7-0.

6th Race: 4-15 p. m.

THE CURRAGH PLATE. (Div. I). Distance—6 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 1,700; second, Rs. 600; third, Rs. 250.

A Handicap for Horses in Class IV.

Doreda 9-7; Redress 9-0; Irish Shadow 9-0; Insomnia 9-0; Bedsocks 8-3; Sly Abbot 8-13; Irish Right 8-12; Rajpyari 8-12; Clairette 8-11; Tijiro 8-9; Naidor 8-8; Miss Tina 8-7; Sassaby 8-4; Uptojinks 8-0; Butterfly 7 13; Kallash 7-12; Periwig 7-11; Cherrymoir 7-11; Greek Jac 7-7; Shongweni 7-2; and Thaxted 7-0.

7th Race: 4-45 p. m.

THE ALANDI PLATE. (Div. II) Distance.—1 mile.

Winner, Rs. 1,700; second, Rs. 600; third, Rs. 250.

A Handicap for Arabs in Classes I and II which have not won after 31st March, 1934 a race value Rs. 2,000 or over.

Wazir Pasha 9-0; Mumrih 8-12; Zoolum 9-0; Dahes 9-0; Happy King 9-0; The Viceroy 8-12; Red Flower 8-11; Bulbul Hazar 8-11; Firsan 8-10; Black Beauty 8-9; Defender 8-1; Yanoos 8-8; Khumayssa 8-6; Maarib 8-1; Grey King 8-1; High Flier 8-1; Capitol 8-1; Shogat Aziz 7-12; Adhba II 7-12; Famous 7-11; Burzan 7-8; Aslan Beg 7-4; and Rolls Royce 7-2.

8th Race: 5-15 p. m.

THE NEWBURY PLATE. Distance—1 mile.

Winner, Rs. 3,500; second, Rs. 1,100; third, Rs 500.

A Handicap for Horses in Class II.

Buland 9-7; Draughtsman 9-1; The Stiff 9-0; Bonne Tete 8-12; Helofalot 8-13; Crusty 8-11; Staff Officer 8-10; The Greek 7-4; Cavern 8-9; Iran 8-0; Zecos 7-12; Powder Boy 7-12; Billy Button 7-0; Ballylinch 7-9; Thracian Prince 7-7 and Knight's Adventure 7-2.

9th Race: 5-45 p. m.

THE DULLINGHAM HANDICAP. Distance.—6 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 2,250; second, Rs. 600; third, Rs. 400.

A Handicap for Horses in Class III.

Permarch 9-7; Hollywood Nights 9-4; World's Work 7-7; Connemara Rose 9-2; Comprehension 9-0; Himat 8-13; Fairford 8-13; Talk 8-12; Chebli 8-12; Shri Narayan 8-7; Former 8-3; Bismarck II 8-9; Picaro 8-7; Zarane 8-7; Young Bachelor 8-7; Raghubeer 7-13; Golden Trail 7-12; Last Adventure 7-12; Garter Princess 7-11; Clendennon 7-4; Madam X 7-0; and Pratap Sinha 7-0.

10th Race: 6-15 p. m.

THE ALANDI PLATE (Division I) Distance—1 mile

Winner, Rs. 2,500; second, Rs 750; third, Rs 500. A Handicap for Arabs in Classes I and II which have not won after 31st March, 1934, a race value Rs. 2,000, or over.

Al Hamil, 9-4; Watchmaker, 8-11; Jai Bhawani II, 8-10; Pasha, 8-7; White Flower, 8-4; Funny Face, 8-4; Blue Funnel, 7-0; Silver Lining, 8-2; Hakim Pasha, 8-1; Saifuldowla, 7-12; Waalim, 7-11; Tennyson, 7-9; Pirnce Ghazi, 7-9; Madhi, 7-7; Rushdi, 7-7; Collector, 7-7; Queen Singer, 7-7; Quarry, 7-6.

BOMBAY RACING SEASON

First Meeting Will Be Held On November 17

The following are the fixtures for the Bombay Racing Season which will consist of twenty-five meetings:—

BOMBAY WINTER MEETING.

Day		1934.
1st	Saturday.	17th Nov.
2nd	Saturday,	24th "
3rd	Saturday,	1st Dec
4th	Saturday,	8th "
5th	Saturday,	15th "
6th	Saturday,	22nd "
7th	Wednesday,	26th "
8th	Saturday,	29th "
		1935.
9th	Tuesday,	1st Jan.
10th	Saturday,	5th "
11th	Monday,	7th "
12th	Saturday,	12th "
13th	Saturday,	19th "
Hospital Day	Wednesday,	23rd "

BOMBAY RACES.

Day		1935.
1st	Saturday,	26th Jan.
2nd	Saturday,	2nd Feb
3rd	Saturday,	9th "
4th	Saturday,	16th "
5th	Saturday,	23rd "

BOMBAY SPRING MEETING.

Day		1935
1st	Wednesday,	27th Feb.
2nd	Saturday,	2nd Mar.
3rd	Saturday,	9th "
4th	Saturday,	16th "
5th	Thursday,	21st "
6th	Saturday,	23rd "

(These dates are subject to alteration).

INDIAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The final of the Satiranjan Memorial Shield Football Tournament between the Bombay Portugese Association and the Eagles United will be played on Sunday, at 5-20 p.m (S. T.) at the Bengal Club ground at Parel.

The Hindusthan Cup Football Tournament (knock-out) will commence immediately after. The entry fee per team has been fixed as low as Rs. 5 as an encouragement to those clubs who were not able to participate in the last two tournaments. The entries close on Wednesday, October 3rd, and may be sent to Mr. R. M Nair, 26, Jer Mansion, Dadar.

Rovers Cup Football

YORKS AND LANCS ENTER SEMI-FINAL

Calcutta Shield Finalists Eliminated By 1 Solitary Goal

The contest between the Durham Light Infantry, one of the finalists of the I. F. A. Shield tournament of Calcutta, and the Yorks and Lancs Regiment from Kamptee, in the third round of the Rovers Cup Tournament on Thursday evening, proved rather a tame affair. The Durhams could nothing of an inspiring nature which was expected from a team of their reputation. The winners also played disappointing football. Neither their defence lines nor the attacking quintette showed anything which was out of the ordinary. It may be safely predicted that a heavy defeat awaits them in the next round.

THE SOLITARY GOAL.

The Yorks and Lancs took charge of the attacking operations from the start and invaded the enemy territory time and again. Several golden opportunities were offered to them but their forwards shot wide of the mark every time. The Durhams on their part made a few determined attacks on the Kamptee Citadel. But Garrett between the sticks was always safe. The ball travelled towards both ends without resulting in any score till half time.

The second moiety was a mere repetition of the initial period. There were few interesting incidents or any spectacular exhibition of combined attacks. About ten minutes from the call of time, Spencer got possession of the ball at the Durham goal-mouth and after a good deal of dilly-dallying got it past Gray. Thereafter the Calcutta players tried hard to retrieve the position. But they could never shoot it through the bull's-eye. Thus the match ended in a victory for the Yorks and Lancs by the only goal of the day.

THE RESULT.

Yorks and Lancs Regt. 1 goal.
Durham L. I. Nil.

THE TEAMS.

Durham L. I.:—Gray; Addamson and Riddle; Kelly, Worthy and Flamery; Mackenzie, Davis, Leverick, Samuel and Stewart.

Yorks and Lancs Regt.:—Garrett; Laver and Huscroft; Ball, Cawkwell and Carr; Liveside, Bradley, Spencer, Grayson and Lea.

Referee:—Mr. F. J. Tilley.

TO-DAY'S MATCH.

ROVERS CUP—THIRD ROUND.

The King's Regt. (holders) vs. Essex Regt. Cooperage, kick-off 5-30 p.m.

LESLIE RUNNING CUP.

In the Leslie Running Cup, Customs beat Bombay North End by 10 points to 5. Sweeny ran home first in 13 seconds.

NORTHERN UNION RUGBY

Castleford Defeat Huddersfield By One Point

LONDDN, Sept. 26.

In the replay in the second round of the Yorkshire Cup under Rugby Northern Union rules, Castleford beat Huddersfield by 3 points to 2

In the replay in the second round of the Lancashire Cup under Rugby Northern Union rules, Liverpool Stanley and St. Helens again drew with 3 points each.—Reuter.

STADIUM FOR CALCUTTA

CALCUTTA, Sept. 27.

It is understood there is likelihood that Calcutta's stadium for which the Raja of Santosh President of Bengal Council and other enthusiasts worked so diligently for past three years will be built in the north-west corner of Eden Gardens.

The erection of the stadium is expected to cost about nine lakhs of rupees.—United Press.

"NO CONTEST" IN BRITISH AMERICAN YACHT RACE

(SPECIAL CABLE)

OYSTER BAY (Long Island) Sept 26

In the British American 6 metre yacht races, the first race was declared "no contest." due to lack of wind.

The competitors are:—

American: Lucie, Bobkat, Challenge and Anis.

British: Vorsa, Saskia, Kyla, Malita.

The Cup goes to winner of the best five races

It is understood that Mr. C. Venkatrama Iyer, Advocate of Chittor has received a wire from His Holiness Shankaracharya of Puri asking him to stand as the Sanatanist candidate for the Legislative Assembly from Chittor.

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Mr. A Hoyt's (br e g) Ballybrittas (Torlonia—Duvetin, 4 years)

Mr A Hoyt's (ch e g) Play On (imp.) Weissdorn—How's That, 4 years).

Mr A M Khairaz's (b e c) Francolin (Franklin—Last of the Lenas, 4 years).

FINAL ENTRIES CLOSED ON 3RD SEPTEMBER, 1934.

H. H. Maharaja of Rajpipla's (ch e c) Mazeppa (Hurry On—Orena, 4 years).

Mr. Byramjee Rustomjee (Junior's) (ch e g) Draughtsman (Tremola—Freehand, 4 years)

Mr. Shantidas Askuran's (b e g) Will Scarlet (Bold Archer—Fondness, 3 years).

Mr. Kelso's (ch e g) Jelal Shah (Papyrus—Hajibibi, 4 years).

WRONGFUL DISMISSAL OF WOMAN TEACHER

(From A Correspondent.)

BHUSAWAL, Sept. 26.

Judgement was delivered by the District Judge, Jalgaon on Monday, in an appeal filed by the Reverend Sebastian Cotta, Manager of the Roman Catholic School Bhusawal against the Decree of the Bhusawal Subordinate Judge, who awarded Rs. 1,705/ to be paid to Mrs. E. Barbosa, as damages for her wrongful dismissal by the priest from service.

The Appellate Court upheld the decision of the Sub Judge and held that no misconduct was proved against the lady teacher and that her dismissal from service by the priest-manager was wholly wrongful.

The learned District Judge, however, reduced the damages to three months of her pay under a clause of her service bond, in which it was specifically laid down that the manager had the right to terminate the service of a teacher without stating any cause, on giving her three months' notice in writing.

The case arose sometime in August, 1931, when, on a hearsay complaint from one Mrs. Alice Smith, alleging mis-conduct against the plaintiff, the defendant priest issued a notice to the lady teacher to resign from service within a specified time. This notice was rescinded by the priest on the same evening on the advice of a lawyer but, on the very next morning, the priest manager again served the lady with a dismissal order on the pretext that she was absent from her quarters after sunset on the previous evening. Any amount of intercession and all attempts at compromise were of no avail and even the Bishop of Poona refused to intervene

However, the decision of the District Judge in the appeal filed by the Priest Manager has finally cleared the un-sullied character of the innocent widowed lady teacher.

SHOLAPUR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

The following announcement is made in to-day's Government Gazette:—

The Governor-in-Council is pleased, under section 15 (2) of the Bombay Municipal Boroughs Act, XVIII of 1925, to empower Mr. H. K. Chainani, I.C.S. Officiating District Judge, Sholapur, to hold enquiries into Municipal election cases generally in the Municipal Boroughs of Sholapur and Pandharpur in the Sholapur District.

The Governor-in-Council is further pleased, under section 22(2) of the Bombay District Municipal Act, II of 1901, as amended by section 5 of Bombay Act VI of 1917, to empower Mr. H. K. Chainani to hold enquiries into Municipal election cases generally in the Sholapur District excluding the Municipal Boroughs of Sholapur and Pandharpur.

The Governor-in-Council is also pleased, under section 19 (2) of the Bombay Local Boards Act, VI of 1923, to empower Mr. H. K. Chainani to hold enquiries into Local Board election cases generally in the Sholapur District.

City And Suburbs

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS

To-day

Hindu: Bhadarva Vad 6, 1990
Muslim: Jamadi-ul-Akhar, 18, 1353
Parsi: Farvardin 22, 1304
Sunrise: 6h 28m
Sunset: 6h 31m
High Water: 3-01 14-45
Low Water: 8-50 20-54
Rovers' Cup Football: King's Regiment vs. Essex Regiment, Cooperage, 5-30 p.m.
Municipal Improvements Committee, 4-10 p.m.

SATURDAY, September 29.

S S. Strathnaver, with English mails sails at 1 p.m.

MONDAY, October 1

Municipal Corporation, 3-40 p.m.

GRANT MEDICAL COLLEGE SOCIAL GATHERING

A social gathering of the above College will be held to-morrow (Saturday) at the Town Hall, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.).

STRIKE RELIEF COMMITTEE

The Secretary, Strike Relief Committee acknowledges with thanks the receipt of Rs. 121, towards relief of strikers, sent by the Vidyarthi Mitra Mandal, Ahmedabad. This is the second instalment of assistance from the Mandal towards strike relief.

HINDI NATYA PARISHAD

A meeting of the Managing Committee of the above Parishad was held on Wednesday at Kalbadevi Road in Arya Samaj Mandir under the presidentship of Syt. Gajendra Sharman. The rules and regulations of the Parishad were passed. The meeting resolved to enact a drama "Achhoot-Bala" at the time of the Congress session. The aim of the Parishad is to cultivate and develop the dramatic technique in Hindi+the lingua franca of the country.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS

The outward P and O Express Steamer "Viceroy of India" left Port Said at 1 a.m. on the 24th instant and in ordinary she should arrive in Bombay at 2 p.m. on Monday the 1st October 1934.

The P and O mail steamer "Chitral" with the mails from London of the 20th instant passed Suez at 9 p.m. on the 26th instant.

Messrs. Dollar Steamship Lines s. s. 'President Harrison V-34' left Singapore on the 25th instant via Colombo with passengers and general cargo for Bombay. She will arrive in Bombay on October 4th and sail again on October 5th with passengers and cargo for Suez, Port Said, Alexandria, Naples, Genoa, Marseilles, New York and Boston.

DAILY AMUSEMENTS

CAPITOL—"Little Women". Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m. (Revival)
REGAL—"Laughing Boy". Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m
PATHE—"The House on 56th Street". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
KRISHNA—"Sinhgad". Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
MINERVA—"Ameena". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
MAJESTIC—"Shivaji The Great". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.
ROXY—"Naughty Girl". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m.
WEST-END—"Toofan Mail". Time as usual.
SUPER-TALKIE—"Vaman Avtar" Daily at 5-30, 8-15 and 10-45 p.m.
WELLINGTON—"Change of Heart" Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m
KOHINOOR—"Akashwani". Daily at 5, 7-45 and 10-30 p.m.
CARLTON—"Sons of the Desert". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
EDWARD—"The Big Pond". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
THE PALACE—"The Way to Love". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m

TO-DAY ON RADIO

12 noon. Indian Selected Hour. 1 p m. Bombay market: Available rates. European Lunch Time Music. 2 p.m. Close down.

6-30 p.m. Talk by Miss Bachubai Wagle on "Matron of the House: her rights and responsibilities"—in Marathi. 7 p.m. A musical evening. With your Favorites on Odeon. 8 p.m. Empire relay if reception is satisfactory. 9 p.m General News in Hindi and Commercial News. 9-20 p.m. Weather Report and News Bulletin in English. 9-30 p.m. Gasapini and His Orchestra. 11 p.m. Close down.

Empire Broadcasting

7-15 p.m. Time signal from Big Ben. News Bulletin and Announcements. 7-45 p.m. The Regional Revellers: a concert party trifle. 8-20 p.m. The Western Studio Orchestra, from a Cardiff studio. 8-30 p.m. A programme of gramophone records. 8-45 p.m. Experiences in Art, a talk by Mr. Sheriffs. 9 p.m. The Hotel Metropole Orchestra, directed by Emillio Colombo, relayed from the Hotel Metropole. London. 9-45 p.m. The B B C Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall. 10-30 p.m. News Bulletin and Announcements. 10-50 p.m. Cabaret, a programme of gramophone records. 11 p.m. The Gershom Parkington Quintet.

'F' WARD D. C. C.

The adjourned urgent meeting of the Council of the 'F' Ward District Congress Committee will be held to-day (Friday) at 9 p.m. (S.T.) at the Committee's Office, Parel.

THE BOMBAY PROVINCIAL VARNASHRAM SWARAJYA SANGH

Under the auspices of the Bombay Provincial Varnashram Swarajya Sangha, a public meeting of the Hindus will be held at Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall in Fort to-day (Friday) at 6-30 p.m. (S. T.) to consider and chalk out a programme for propaganda work to be carried out in connection with the ensuing Legislative Election.

CIRCLE LITTERAIRE

Dr. P. P. Klemens, consul for Czechoslovakia will deliver a lecture on "T. G. Masaryk" in the Hall of the Circle, 60 Forbes Street, Fort, to-day (Friday) at 6-30 p.m.

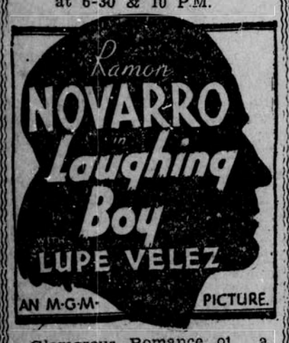
FIRST BOMBAY ROVER WEEK

The Rovers of B. B. S. L. A. will celebrate the Adult education day today. Prof. R C. Choksi of the Adult Education Association will address the Rovers on "Adult Education" at the Chunilal Mehta Hut at 6-30 p.m. today (Friday).

BAND AT EMPRESS GARDENS, POONA

By kind permission of the Officers of the 2nd Battalion, Green Howards, the Band will play at the Empress Gardens, on Friday (28th instant) from 6 to 7-30 p.m., weather permitting.

THE CAPITOL
THE LAST DAY
At 6-30 & 10 P.M.
Concession to Schools.
RKO-RADIO'S GREAT PICTURE
"LITTLE WOMEN"
with
KATHARINE HEPBURN
TO-MORROW
The Idol of 2 Continents
FRANCIS LEDERER
and
ELISSA LANDI
in
MAN OF TWO WORLDS
Bringing Primitive love into Society's Drawing Rooms!

The REGAL
THE LAST DAY
at 6-30 & 10 P.M.


Glamorous Romance of a Primitive Man and a worldly woman!
TO-MORROW
The Detective Thriller:
"THE THIN MAN."
with
WM. POWELL & MYRNA LOY

PATHE
Bombay's Cinema De Luxe
TO-DAY 3-30, 6-30 & 10 p.m.
FINAL PERFORMANCES OF WARNER BROS.'
GLORIOUS SPECTACLE OF ROMANCE, DRAMA, SONG & DANCE
KAY FRANCIS
at her Radiant Best in
"THE HOUSE on 56th STREET"
WITH
RICARDO CORTEZ
GENE RAYMOND
DON'T MISS IT.

WHEN GANDHIJI WILL GIVE UP CHARKHA!

The Agent A.I.S.A. Bombay Branch, writes:—

"The problem is to double the penny-a-day, which is the average income of a poor Indian. If we can achieve that, it would be quite enough, at least till we find a better method. The Spinning Wheel, by utilising the idle hours of the Nation, produces additional wealth; it does not, it was never meant to displace existing employment."

"Give me a thing which would increase the daily income of the millions of our impoverished people more than the Spinning Wheel and I should gladly give up the Spinning Wheel."

MAHATMA GANDHI.

Systematic and organized efforts are being made in the Western countries by their States to remove unemployment by introducing handicrafts and other small industries.

Buy Khadi Hundies and help in the A.I.S.A.'s efforts to remove unemployment howsoever to a small extent from the country.

ALIGARH TEAM BEATEN

Bad Fielding And Stingless Bowling Give Hindu Gym. An Easy Win

The Hindu Gymkhana had no difficulty in defeating the Aligarh University XI in a two-days' match by four wickets and 94 runs.

The formidable score put up by the Visitors placed them in a position of advantage, but there appeared to be no sting in their bowling, for the opening pair of the home team piled up 130 before they were separated.

By this time the 'Varsity bowlers were tired out for no less than six members of the team were called upon to assist the attack.

Bhidye and Patil, the overnight batsmen from the moment they got to the crease stretched their shoulders and hit 24 boundaries to which Patil contributed 16. Patil's innings was dashing, but not faultless.

EASY CHANCES MISSED.

The students' fielding did not reach the same standard as when they played the Islam Gymkhana for a number of easy chances were missed.

Patil's century helped the side to easily pass the Visitors' score and when stumps were drawn the home-team held a lead of 94 runs with 4 wickets in hand.

The following are the scores:—

ALIGARH MUSLIM UNIVERSITY (1ST INNINGS).

Kutubuddin b Hakim Singh ..	0
Akhtar Hussain c Mehta, b Dalal	20
Zahid c Bidaye, b Kothare ..	5
Jamil c Patil. b Merchant ..	65
Iftikhar c Bidaye, b Gharat .	102
Zahiruddin (run out)	0
Asghar (run out)	9
Salauddin st. Patil, b Merchant	0
Masudyar b Gharat	0
Maqbul (not out)	28
Ali Raza c, Sathe b Merchant	0
Extras	11
Total	240

BOWLING ANALYSIS:—Hakim Singh 1 for 48; Merchant 3 for 44; Gharat 2 for 47; Kothare 1 for 27 and Dalal 1 for 40

HINDU GYMKHANA (1ST INNS.)

D.M. Bhidye c Masood, b Bubby	56
G.L. Patil b Iftakhar	115
V. M. Merchant c and b S. Masood	25
M.S. Sathye c Maqbul, b S. Masood	1
C.N. Mehta c Saffi, b Bubby	38
R.J. Gharat c Iftakhar, b S. Masood	27
S.S. Dongre c Maqbul, b Iftakhar	2
B.R. Patil (not out)	21
W.S. Kothare (not out)	8
Extras	41
Total (for 7 wickets) ...	334

BOWLING ANALYSIS:—Zahid 0 wickets for 20 runs; S. Masood 3 for 102; Bubby 2 for 53; Ali Raza 0 for 31; Jamil 0 for 35 and Iftakhar 2 for 52.

Due to heavy rain at Rewa, a newly built house is reported to have collapsed and crushed two labourers under the debris. On removal of the debris both men were found to be dead.

BOMBAY QUADRANGULAR PROSPECTS

Many Surprises In Store For Cricket Carnival

Never in the history of Bombay cricket, has there been a Quadrangular Tournament of the type that Bombay is to have at the end of November. With two princes and a number of Test-match players, in the pink of form, the impending cricket carnival holds the promise of being at once spectacular and of a very high standard.

There is besides a crop of young men recruited mostly from the colleges, many of whom are bound to be in the Quadrangular and who, it might be safely predicted, are going to spring more than one surprise on the Bombay public.

Great excitement prevails in cricketing circles in Bombay, for in the first week of October, most of the Selection Committees will meet. The early rush of work has already started. Minor Committee meetings are everywhere being held; over-worked secretaries are pulling up their sleeves and swotting at the typewriter and desk; and battalions of prospective Quadrangular players are every evening training at the nets watched by hundred of enthusiastic cricket "fans."

TEAMS IN MAKING.

Invitations have been issued to all parts of India inviting prominent players to represent their respective communities at the coming contest. The Islam Gymkhana has in fact sent out as many as 50 invitations to several players. It is proposed to make the men practise at the nets and play friendly matches so as to develop them as a team, at least a month before the Quadrangular Tournament starts.

A BATTERY OF BOWLERS.

There are three candidates for the captainship of the Hindu side. The Yuvraj of Patiala who displayed such distinguished talent in the recent Test-matches in India, Major Naidu, the All-India Captain and Prof. Deodhar, the old timer, of whom the first is expected to be selected. But the special feature of the Hindu eleven is the possession of a regular battery of bowlers consisting of Amar Singh, Gopalan, Ramji, C. K. Naidu and Amarnath. Either Hendraker or Navle will be the wicket keeper. Deshmukh of the Poona side, Godambe, one of the best all-rounders in India, and Naomal will also find a place. Jai, Merchant, Champak Mehta and S. Talpade, a new find, are next in the list with a batch of new-comers like P. J. Churi, R. J. Gharat, Bhagwandas and D. R. Wadkar racing neck to neck for a place in the team. With such variety and excellence of talent it is, however, felt that the last three places are bound to be filled as a matter of luck rather than anything else.

ARRAY OF TALENTS.

It is common knowledge that the Nawab of Pataudi has been invited and has consented to lead the Muslim side, which as it stands, presents a very formidable array of batsmen and bowlers that is going to prove a stiff proposition to the team that has the misfortune to collide against it. Wazir Ali, Nazir Ali, Nissar, the star bowler, Mustaque Ali and Dilawar Hussein, the wicket keeper, are the certain probables—if there is such a thing—of the Muslim team. Keen competition of course exists for the other places for here too there is a plethora of young cricket talent anxiously awaiting recognition. As has been said nearly 50 invitations have been issued and feverish excitement prevails in Muslim circles, but the Committee intend not to be stampeded in taking any hasty decisions but carefully consider the claims of each person before he is included into the team.

The Bombay Gymkhana are up to the present very close about the probables of their team. Summerhayes, Meyer, Musket, the bowler, and Mackinnon will, of course, be somewhere in the picture, but, as usual, last moment considerations are likely to supervene and entirely alter the complexion of affairs. It is however rumoured that they have a couple of grim surprises up their sleeves which are going to be thoroughly inconvenient.

PROBABLE PARSI SKIPPER

H. J. Vajifdar or D. K. Kapadia in his present form is expected to skipper the Parsee side. Jamshedji who created such a sensation against the M. C. C. in Bombay and Marshall will probably be in charge of the attack, helped by Patel, the fast bowler of Calcutta, and D. Havewalla. Bahadur Kapadia, if in good health, or Meher Homji of Jamnagar will keep wicket. S. H. Kolah, F. K. Nariman Irani of Karachi, N. D. Nagarwalla, the well-known all-rounder of Poona have claims that cannot be overlooked. Khote, Dadyshet, and Eurush Baria, who has been showing extraordinary form in local matches, are also in the running.

FOUR APPELLANTS ACQUITTED

Judge Orders Refund Of Fines In "Gambling Case" Appeal

(From Our Correspondent).

THANA, Sept. 27.

Judgment was delivered yesterday by Mr. M. A. Bhave, the Sessions Judge of Thana, in the appeal preferred by Rambhau Subrao Shene and 11 others against the order of their conviction under the Prevention of Gambling Act and sentence of various terms of imprisonment with fine passed by Mr. I. T. Almania, the subdivisional Magistrate for Kalyan Prant at Thana.

Four appellants were acquitted by the Sessions Judge, who set aside their conviction on the ground that nothing incriminating was found on their person. The Judge upheld the conviction of the other eight appellants, but, retaining the fine, he set aside the various terms of imprisonment on the ground that the section provided either imprisonment or fine and not both.

The prosecution story was that on December 17, last the Kalyan town police raided a room and arrested 14 persons, who were found seated in a circle playing cards with nickel coins before them. One of them was made a prosecution witness, while another died as an undertrial prisoner.

The defence was that the accused had gathered at the house of the first appellant, who, being ill, had invited them to play cards. Further they were playing a game of skill and not with stakes.

The Magistrate convicted the 12 accused and sentenced them to pay Rs. 100 each or in default 20 days' rigorous imprisonment. In addition two of them were awarded one month's hard labour and the last accused, who had a previous conviction, was given 15 days' jail.

On appeal the terms of imprisonment were set aside as the Sessions Judge held them to be illegal. In case of four appellants, who were acquitted, their fines were ordered to be refunded.

Mr. M. M. Karbhari, with Mr. B. T. Sule, appeared for the appellants, while Mr. B. H. Shringarpure repesented the Crown.

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GIRNI KAMGAR UNION

Mr. Mohamad Siddique Brelvi, a member of the Bombay Girni Kamgar Union (Red Flag), writes:

I have been a member of the Executive of the Bombay Girni Kamgar Union before the general strike. During the strike I worked most enthusiastically to make the strike a success. While working I came to know of the activities of the Alwe-Kandalkar group. But I stuck up to the Union in the interest of the working class movement. But now I see that the activities of this group are not calculated to further the movement of the working class. They have absolutely no following of the workers. I herewith warn the workers that they should have nothing to do with this group. Their real union is the one at Poibavdi in the Indira Building. I have been sometimes supposed to be working with this group but I herewith announce that I have disassociated with this group and have nothing to do with them.

In And Around Bombay

(From Our Staff Correspondents)

A Tardeo Grievance

The narrowness of the Bombay Central bridge situated on the Bellasis road causes great inconvenience to the inhabitants of Tardeo. Usually there is heavy traffic there throughout the day, and the ingress and egress of cars, carts, motor lorries and victorias leave hardly any space for the pedestrian to walk along the road. The inhabitants are at a loss to understand why the Municipal authorities are not looking into the matter seriously. If it is the duty of the B. B. and C. I. Railway to bear the cost of widening the bridge, the Municipality should see that they do it. The bridge has been built for the specific purpose of allotting space for the B. B. and C. I. railway to lay their lines beneath it. Hence, it is really unfair that the public which bears the burden of the municipal tax as well as the railway fare, should be made the victim of such inconvenience.

Anti-Smokers' League

Smoking has been making tremendous stride all the world over. There was a time when it was confined only to adults, but now it is taken up by young boys and women. Lakhs of rupees are spent on smoking in India alone every year, apart from the huge and colossal amount spent outside India. In Bombay tram cars, buses and railway trains are crowded with smokers who are a nuisance to the non-smokers. To combat the smoking evil, the youths of Bombay, particularly from schools and colleges, should start an Anti-Smoking League to carry on propaganda against smoking. There is no doubt that smoking saps vitality.

Seth Adamji Dawood For Memon Conference

The Secretary, Calcutta Memon Conference Committee wires from Calcutta under date 26th September:—

"The Memon Jamat on hearing of Seth Adamji Haji Dawood's uncertainty to attend the Memon Conference at Manawander Jamat Deputation, under the leadership of Seth Haji Abdusshako Baigmohamed Soobasha, called upon him, this evening to persuade and request him to attend the Conference as his presence was vry necessary for the community's benefit.

Seth Adamji has gladly consented and promised to start on the 2nd of October by the Jubalpore Mail via Bombay."

Ayurved Conference In Nizam's Dominions

It is proposed to hold the first Ayurved Conference of the Maratha-speaking districts of the Nizam's Dominions, under the presidency of Vaidya-Bhushan Herlekar Shastri of Umravati (Berar) in December next, at Paithan (Nizam's State) District Aurangabad.

Doctors, Physicians and hakims are cordially invited to attend the Conference and participate in the discussions.

It will be opened by Dr. Mhaskar, M.D.M., A B Sc., D P.H., D.T., M.H. of Parel, Bombay Exact dates of the Conefrence along with other details will be published in papers in due course of time.

In the meanwhile, particulars may be asked from Vaidya-Bhushan Vithal Pandit Mahajan Paithan, Secretary of the Conference, Secretary Ayurved Conference, Paithan.

Drama In Aid Of Blind School

(From A Correspondent)

Bhavnagar, Sept. 25

The Lakshmikant Natak Samaj gave a benefit performance "Ajat Shatru" on the 17th instant under the presidentship of Sir Prabhashankar D. Pattani when many residents of Bhavnagar were present.

Mr. P. L. Thakkar thanked the President, the Natak Samaj and the audience and the Lady Northcote Hindu Orphanage Band and the gentlemen who helped in getting the funds for the cause of the Blind School.

The school is going to have its own building planned by Messrs. K. P. Burjor-Behram and H. J. Bilimoria and the cost of which is about Rs. 30,000. The Natak Samaj were kind enough to grant Rs. 1,344 by way of gate money. The names of those who gave donations to the building fund are:—Rs. 101 Chhotalal Keshavji and Co., Rs. 101 Adamji Lukmanji Esqr., Rs. 101 Anandjilal Becharlal Esq. Rs. 100 R. H. Patuck, Esq.

MALARIA CARRIER

The following is the list of places in Bombay City where Anopheles stephensi, the Malaria Carrier, was detected breeding during the week ending on September 22.

Junction of Hornby Road and Sir Pherozeshah Mehta Road: Building under construction. Water collection. Colaba Causeway: Nos. 71-81. Roof gutter. Dongri Street: No. 78. Cistern. Ropa Lane: Nos. 11-13. Well. Ripon Road: Nos. 51-63 (Bradbury Mill) Machinery pieces. Victoria Road: No. 114. Ruts. Connaught Road: No. 20 (Sirdar Carbonic Gas Co.). Masonry tank. Neshit Road: Nos. 34-40. Well. Love Lane: No. 105-G. Masonry tank. Chinchpokli Road: No. 62 (Rachel Sassoon Mill). Boiler Feeding tank. Upper Mahim: No. 63-B. Well. Upper Mahim: No. 64-F. Well. Charni Road: Nos. 301-301-A. Cistern.

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INDIAN TRADE WITH EUROPE

The main interest of the Report of the Indian Government Trade Commissioner in Hambourg, for 1933-4, lies in the chapters dealing with the fate of the individual commodities in European markets, and the internal conditions in Germany under Hitler. The summary of the Commissioner's duties and functions, given at the very outset of the Report, seems inadequate to people who consider such departments to be useful only in so far as they aid directly in growth of the trade in and with the regions to which their jurisdiction relates. The Hambourg Trade Commissioner of India is assigned no such function: and though he professes to deal with "claims" cases and trade disputes between continental importers and Indian exporters, we very much doubt if he is allowed by the Powers-that-be to concern himself with the plight of Indian exporters in such circumstances as led to Germany's decision not to pay its trade debts, because its own exports surplus had diminished, or disappeared. India is, in such matters, merely an appendage of Britain; and so whatever steps are taken for the protection and assurance of British traders are left inevitably to react upon the Indian interests; but, independently of British interests, Indian claims would have no chance of being asserted and safeguarded under the present dispensation.

Failure Of Nazi Economic Programme

The Commissioner's summary about international developments affecting the trade of the world in 1933 is interesting, though somewhat out of date at this time of the day. Perhaps it would have been more instructive and helpful to the Indian reader and trader, had it been written from the standpoint of the reactions to the World Economic Conference, or of the resolve of the Gold Bloc, or of the Silver Agreement, in Germany and other continental countries, or even with reference to the trade of India with the Continent. A simple uncritical summary of events and developments, as is given in chapter II, is apt to prove superfluous, since much of the information has already been public property in India through the ordinary newspaper channels. The summary, however, of the developments in Germany is far from tainted with these defect. The admission that "National Socialist practice in the domain of economics has so far fallen far short of the National-Socialist ideology" indicates that the writer has not fallen a victim to Nazi propaganda, and hits the nail at the outset, though it seems, if anything, to under-state the true, position in Germany. The Nazi economic programme is a medley of advanced industrialism and sentimental concessions to certain elements in the party machine, which Mr. Gupta seems not quite to have sized up. A writer in the "Current History" for September is much more helpful in this regard. Not only have the Nazis failed to carry out their own programme of economic reorganisation of the nation but their experiments to revive German farming and recondition the farmer, their efforts to organise a Labour Front moving horizontally in five vertical corporations of Industry, Handicrafts, Agriculture, Commerce and Professions, their attempts at regulating foreign trade and the country's international credit, have all signally failed. Their pressing need was to find employment for the six million and a half unemployed; they have sought to solve the problem by banishing the Jews, excluding women from industrial employment, and organising volunteers' camps. But these have not really altered the economic conditions of the people or mitigated their distress. They have passed agrarian laws establishing fixed grain prices and virtual monopoly of the State in field cultivation,—a strange tribute to the Communist policies in such matters—with the result that the agrarian situation makes a direct challenge to the economic nationalism demanded by the industrial interests. Industry wants cheap and abundant raw materials; agriculture demands tariffs, subsidies and guaranteed prices. The Nazis have no means of reconciling this conflicting demand. The subsidisation, on the other hand, of industries by means of "tax remissions," and the institution of vast public works have thrown out of gear the national finances, which cannot allow the budget to be permanently and satisfactorily balanced. Germany is confessedly unable to pay her foreign debts, public or private, trade or otherwise and the successive arrangements with the creditors have only emphasized the bankruptcy of the country. The German productive organisation is, under these conditions, unable to bring about a surplus to pay for such debts. True, the intensive nationalism in economic matters in neighbouring countries might be alleged to create an obstacle; but Germany's own financial and currency policy is not such, internally or externally, as to afford that sense of security indispensable for a genuine trade revival. The subsidising of agriculture by establishing monopoly control over animal and vegetable fats, oils, margarine, oil-cakes, oil-seeds, foodstuffs and grain, may have brought a measure of prosperity to the land, but it has by reaction, reduced the imports of raw materials and so affected adversely the country's industry. Because of the decline of the German export trade, Government not only reduced drastically the foreign exchange facilities available to pay for the necessary imports, but also summarily prohibited imports of jute, cotton, hemp, coir, wool, animal hair, hides and skins, animal products and certain ores and metals in most of which Indian trade is seriously affected Such a curtailment of raw materials must react on German industry and its ability to provide employment; and Government, by establishing—as they seem to intend to—monopoly control in such articles will not solve the economic problem of the country.

Trade Suffers

In the face of these developments, it is not surprising to learn that the trade of India with Germany,—and, by repercussion, perhaps, with other countries,—has suffered in many instances. The only considerable exceptions seem to be jute, and cotton. The imports of jute into European countries have increased, but the increase is counter-balanced by a fall in the imports of jute cloth. As jute is India's monopoly, it is perhaps, not a happy illustration to demonstrate the effects of European conditions on the trade of India. Cotton, too, shows an improvement over 1932, but the improvement is still far from the 1929 figures Imports in European countries of coir, rice, and tea have remained either stationary at the low level of 1932, or even declined. Hides and skins show an improvement, as also oil-seeds, while oilcakes meet with a decline, as also Indian pig iron and tin. On the whole, however, the Continent's trade with India does not show that depression has for ever passed away. The Trade Commissioner has endeavoured, in his Report, to explain the reasons which bring about the variations he notes in particular countries; but he omits.—perhaps quite naturally,—any mention of his own peculiar difficulties in promoting Indian trade with continental countries and safeguarding the interests of Indian traders in such emergencies as those in regard to the German arrangements for liquidating the foreign obligations. But, perhaps, this is inevitable under present conditions, and does not in any way detract from the value of Mr. Gupta's work.

A Halting Decision

According to a Press report from Simla, as a sequel to the deputation of certain M.L.A.'s meeting the Home Member to the Government of India in connection with the eligibility for election of candidates who suffered imprisonment for more than one year for Civil Disobedience, the Government of India have issued circulars to the local Governments instructing them not to disqualify any candidate convicted for Civil Disobedience. But the Government have added a proviso which takes away much of the justice done by the above recommendation. The proviso states that the circular does not preclude the local Governments from disqualifying candidates convicted of Civil Disobedience in rare cases according to their own discretion. The discretionary power has been so much abused by several Provincial Governments, that the continuance of that power practically leaves the position very much as it is. We would also urge that if persons convicted of Civil Disobedience are not to be disqualified for election, it ought to follow as a corollary that candidates who were in prison ought to be allowed to visit their constituencies without any let or hindrance. For instances Dr. Khan of the N. W. Frontier Province, who is a candidate for the Assembly election, ought to be allowed to visit his province.

HINDRANCE TO PROGRESS

In his address to the Hindu Widows' Home at Hingne the Governor of Bombay rightly stressed the importance of women's education for bettering the condition of Indian women. But he had good reason to deplore the present unsatisfactory progress of women's education in this Presidency. For, as he himself pointed out, the number of students attending colleges in the Presidency is less than a thousand, and there is only one girl for every five boys in secondary schools. We fully agree that "while this state of affairs prevails, the progress of the country must inevitably be seriously hampered." But what steps are Government taking to accelerate the progress of women's education? We must, however, regretfully confess that while the Government are apathetic towards this all-important question, the public are even more so. We may or may not have more separate universities for women. But we certainly need far more schools and colleges for women, with courses of study specially suited to their requirements. And both the Government and the public should join hands in providing the additional schools and colleges.

WHERE IS THE MERCY?

Mr. Justice Kisch of the Allahabad High Court may have correctly interpreted the law in rejecting the application of Mr. Girdharlal Agarwala for the release of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, made on the plea that, having once been released in August last, though temporarily, he could not be lawfully arrested and imprisoned without a fresh trial and conviction. But there is touch of unconscious irony in his Lordship's solicitude for not interfering with the Government's exercise of its "prerogative of mercy" "according to the dictates of humanity." We do not see much mercy in the Government's present refusal to release the Pandit for a few days as they did last time. Nor can the refusal be said to be consistent with the common dictates of humanity.

AN EXCELLENT SUGGESTION

We whole-heartedly endorse the suggestion made by "A Congressman" in our correspondence columns that a surcharge of four annas be levied on every ticket of admission to the forthcoming Congress session and that the amount thus collected be earmarked for relief to the peasants of Gujarat and Karnatak, who have suffered terribly in the recent Congress campaign. The need for relief to these people in their present wretchedness cannot be denied by any with a sense of humanity or appreciation of the poor people's suffering for the country's cause. But unfortunately the need is still far from being met on any appreciable scale. "A Congressman's" suggestion is certainly a simple and thoroughly practicable way that may be reasonably expected to yield about Rs. 10,000, and no delegate or visitor to the Congress, however poor, will grudge the payment of four annas for the benefit of the poorest. We trust the Reception Committee will unanimously adopt this excellent suggestion.

CROWN---A SACRED TRUST

The Action Of Chinese Boy-Emperor And Siam's King Should Make Indian Princes Yield To The Demands Of Their People For Reform Before It Is Too Late

By K. F. NARIMAN.

In my last article on 'Self-effacement by leaders' I had made a passing reference to voluntary abdication of the ancient imperial dynastic Crown in China. This is, perhaps, the only solitary instance in the history of revolutions of the world, where a republic is formally established by an imperial edict from the Crown.

Emperor For Republic

The following extraordinary Imperial Republican Decree was issued over the signature of the Empress on behalf of the Boy-Emperor on 12th February 1912, less than six weeks after the establishment of Provisional Government at Nanking:—

"As a consequence of the uprising of the revolutionary army, to which the different provinces immediately responded, the Empire seethed like the boiling cauldron and the people were plunged in utter misery..... Separated as the South and the North are by great distances, the unwillingness of either side to yield to the other, can result only in the continued interruption of trade and the prolongation of hostilities, for so long as the form of Government is undecided the people can have no peace. We, and His Majesty the Boy-Emperor, hereby decide in favour of a Republican form of constitutional Government. Thus we would gratify, on the one hand, the desire of the whole Nation, which, tired of anarchy, is desirous of peace, and, on the other hand, would follow in the foot-steps of the ancient sages, who regarded the throne as the sacred trust of the Nation. . . . During the period of transference of Government from the old to the new, there should be some means of uniting South to the North. . . . thus assuring peace to the people and tranquillity to Empire, forming one great Republic of China by the union of five great peoples, namely, Manchus, Chinese, Mongols, Mahomedans and Tibetans together with their territory and integrity."

Kingly Surrender

This is a remarkable and unique oriental document, wherein, true to the Eastern traditional notion of the crown "as a trust of the nation," there is a voluntary surrender and abdication of power, a kingly sacrifice to secure peace and unity amongst the people and tranquillity for the Empire. Perhaps the step was the result of political wisdom and expediency, in yielding with good grace in time to avoid an ultimate unceremonious ousting with disgrace. Still how many Western potentates have displayed such grace and statesmanship by timely surrender?

Dignified Retirement

The Republicans were not slow to respond to the gesture. The Chinese Crown, by this one wise step, was saved from certain disaster and calamities that befell Western Christian Imperial Houses. Instead of being beheaded like King Charles I and Richard II of England, or guillotined like the Bourbon King Louis of France, and, worse still, the ruthless butchery with which the whole family of Czar Nicholas of Russia was wiped out, the Chinese Republic treated the abdicated Emperor and the whole House with great consideration and respect. One of the first resolutions of the New Republic was to make a most generous annual allowance of 4,000,000 taels with permission to occupy the same Imperial Palace with all its pomp, grandeur and dignity, only stripped of its political and administrative powers There is no danger to the safety and security of the Imperial House, so long as it refuses to serve as a tool in the hands of foreign exploiters, particularly Japan, and resists the sinister attempts to make it an instrument to serve their selfish ends against the best interests of the Chinese Republic.

The Khalifa's Fate

The Turkish potentate, the last Sultan and Khalifa, might also have received the same sympathetic consideration had he exercised sufficient wisdom and foresight and refused to play into the hands of his Western Christian so-called 'friends.' His ultimate tragic deportation from the country, was brought about by his over-enthusiastic friends and supporters, the Indian Khilafatists. After the establishment of Turkish Republic, out of regard for the Islamic sentiment in the world the Khilafat was maintained, as a religious institution, with dignity, respect and befitting pomp but stripped of all political or ruling powers, which were transferred to the newly established Republic However, the Indian Khilafatists were not satisfied with that modified and restricted position and agitated to restore to him his former sovereignty and political powers also. With that view a petition signed by H. H. the Aga Khan and Amir Ali was presented

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Frankly Speaking

"HISTORIC EVENT."

The giant Cunard liner "The Queen Mary" which was launched on Wednesday last has created world-wide interest. And rightly so. Patriotically helped by the British Treasury's financial advances to the tune of millions of pounds sterling British shipping has produced a liner which is the biggest and "the most stately ship existing". No wonder that it has been proudly hailed as a triumph of British engineering. No wonder that considering its unmatched statelliness and its economic possibilities to Great Britain, the historic event of last Wednesday should arouse keen and exuberant enthusiasm in the breast of every patriotic Briton.

"SUPREME SIGNIFICANCE."

And no wonder also that enthusiasm should spread like an infection to Britons flung far and wide and doing their exiles' little bit for the old country. That infection has been caught in the fullest degree by Anglo-India also. So that our local contemporary ecstatically exclaims at the end of a long and admirably patriotic article: "From the point of view of national morale the completion of the great ship on the Clyde is of supreme significance and the whole Empire will wish 'The Queen Mary' every success" Supreme significance! When we remember, for instance, the story of Indian shipping efforts and the Britishers' reaction to them we wonder if this boosting of "The Queen Mary" does not possess another but a really "supreme significance" to the Empire.

AFGHANISTAN IN LEAGUE.

So Afghanistan, the buffer State between India and Russia, is also now a member of the League of Nations. This is only in the fitness of things since India and Russia are both members. We find that "India," speaking through her quasi-permanent "representative" Sir Denis Bray, "warmly welcomed Afghanistan's application for admission to the League, because the two countries were bound by close ties strengthened by constant intercourse, friendship and neighbourly co-operation." For once this country is in agreement with "India" and gladly endorses the sentiments suggested by the warm welcome of the latter's representative.

CHRISTIAN IMPERIALIST

Viscount Halifax (Lord Irwin) is a good Christian; but he is a better imperialist. This is the most charitable view that one can take of his speech in Leeds in connection with the national appeal on behalf of Christian colleges in India. His reference to the virtues of Western civilisation derived from Christianity really provokes questions that will not bring into happy relief the record of Western civilization in action in Europe much less in the East. That apart, while we cannot deny the services rendered by Christian colleges in India, we are not quite sure that India would not have been better off without them. They have had a subtle psychological influence on the youth of this country. They have certainly educated a good number of young Indians—their success is a commentary in direct proportion to the failure of the 'State' itself. But they have also tended to instil into the minds of students the "blessings" of British rule and "Western civilization" and a sense of their own national inferiority.

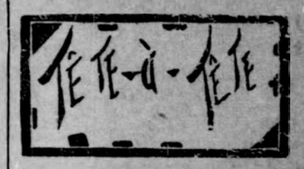
MONSTROUS.

A young Bengali youth died in November last year in a police lock-up in the district of Howrah. The young man's father complained in February against certain private individuals and against certain police officers in this connection. It is now eleven months since the young man died and eight since his father filed his complaint. And yet, inspite of the gravity of the matter, nothing has been done so far! We are not surprised that two High Court judges were shocked so deeply at the delay as to observe: "The history of this case shows a monstrous lack of determination to administer public justice." It is, indeed, so monstrous that the mere injunction to the District Magistrae "to inquire into the matter and dispose of the case with the least possible delay" will not do. Steps must be taken to inquire into the conduct of those responsible for the delay and they should be suitably dealt with for this "monstrous lack of determination to administer justice." This is all the more necessary because the case belongs to Bengal. And in Bengal, the "law" allows to the executive a freedom which is already dangerously near licence.

—PRESS VIEWS—

Europeans & White Paper

In combating terrorism the Government have undoubtedly encountered very great difficulties, the greatest of which was the apathy of the public to the danger of allowing the movement to grow. But these have yielded to persistent propaganda, and public opinion was never more definitely ranged against terrorists as it is to-day. The hands of Government have been correspondingly strengthened, and the outlook in Bengal is brighter than it ever was before. The reason for this is that co-operation has displaced mistrust. If at this stage when Government and the public are working together the European Association comes forward with the objection that the Intelligence and Special branches of the Police should not be entrusted to Indian hands as if that would hamper the working of those departments, and, if this objection is upheld, it would be tantamount to rejecting the co-operation which has been secured with such great difficulty.—"Pioneer."



According to Bhai Parmananda there is practically no difference in the objectives of the Nationalist Party and the Mahasabha.

Thanks. This is precisely what Congressmen think.

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It is understood that from January 1934 till the middle of September, the number of cases in which women were kidnapped or abducted amounted to about 300.

Hindu and Muslim leaders—no names please—forward with your derivative statistics, proportions and inevitable conclusions.

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Doctor A. Soares has issued an appeal to Christian voters on behalf of Mr. Jamnadas Mehta. But the qualities that he enumerates and approves in Mr. Mehta are almost exactly those that he would indignantly repudiate in himself

Whether, however, Doctor Soare's appeal should be regarded as a compliment to himself or Mr. Mehta is a matter between the two.

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Dr. Soares says: "Mr. Mehta has now for many years valiantly championed the labour cause."

We are prepared to declare on our own authority that Mr. Mehta violently blushes at this compliment and wishes that this valiant champion of his had been less enthusiastic.

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But we cannot imagine what Mr. Mehta thinks of his friend's announcement that he stands "as the candidate of the Democratic Swaraj Party which he has created."

How we wish that Mr. Mehta obliged with his own comment on it!

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"DROP IN GERMAN IN-TAKE OF INDIAN GOODS

Govt. Trade Commissioner Complains Economic Nationalism Hinders Commerce, But Hopes For Better Future."

—Headlines.

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Down with Hitlerism and the economic nationalism of—Germany! And we don't care about the Indo-German future.

We are confident that India's own future is not only better but definitely bright thanks to the Reserve Bank, Imperial Preference and "The Queen Mary." Up, up with British Economic Internationalism.

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It is reported from Lahore that some labourers set fire to a bush in which a cobra had taken refuge. The cobra, of course, was burnt but as a result of inhaling the smoke six of the labourers also died.

But lest the International Armaments trade should make a rush for the purpose of exploiting bushes in the Punjab, let us hasten to suggest that the poison in the smoke was most probably due to the cobra.

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We are extremely annoyed, disturbed and worried. According to latest information received in Simla, (1) a big Russian caravan has arrived there with merchandise, creating a stir in business bazaars and (2) "Russians are reported to be indulging in hostile activities in the Kilik Pass area....."

Now, what is the joke? Why can't these Bolshies keep to their own country? Or if they must indulge their natural proclivities isn't the Manchukuo front wide enough for mischief?

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From the Free and Fearless One:—

"It is difficult to court gaol; part from home, friends, family and children; incur the hardship of constant and often thankless toil for the betterment of the poor, the lowly and the untouchable; fight for flouted rights against a powerful Government; and, above all, to bear the kind of physical and mental pain, of privation and of loss incidental to participation in the strenuous programmes of Swaraj and civil disobedience movements."

This moving eloquence—or apologia?—has almost convinced us. But not yet entirely.

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Mayor: "I never saw the park littered so with paper as it is this morning. How do you account for it?"

Superintendent: "The Park Commissioner had leaflets distributed yesterday asking people not to throw paper about."

Roosevelt Appoints Labour Relations Board

Move To Settle Strike Disputes

(Special Cable)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.

President Roosevelt has appointed a Labour Relation Board for textile industry to settle the disputes arising out of the recent strike.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

Mr. Walter Stacy, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court in North Carolina, is acting as the chairman for a fortnight.

Other members include Rear Admiral Henry Wiley and Mr. James Mullenbac, the labour arbitrator.

All three are members of the Steel Labour Relations Board.

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE MUST END

League Must Resume Her Responsibility For Problem, Says Litvinoff

GENEVA, September 26.

M Litvinoff apparently thinks that it is time that disarmament conference ended, and the Council of the League of Nations resumed her responsibility for the problem.

At the luncheon he gave to members of the Council, he produced the text of a draft resolution which he has already sent to the President of the Assembly, suggesting that the Council should receive the report of the President of Disarmament Conference with regard to the present state of its work, and should decide the procedure to follow.

Litvinoff's suggestion had a mixed reception in the lobbies.

It is pointed out that the Assembly had already decided not to discuss disarmament this session. Consequently, it is probable that the President of the Assembly will suggest an adjournment to Litvinoff's resolution, which will leave the question open without committing the Assembly or the Council in any way.—Reuter.

GERMAN AND ITALIAN TRADE

Agreement Has Been Signed By Delegates

BERLIN, Sept. 26.

by Italian and German delegates, establishing a clearing system for payments for imports and exports between the two countries.

An agreement has also been reached on the question of the regulation of payments facilitating tourist traffic.—Reuter

BOUNDARY DISPUTES

Frontier Hill States And ..... Tibet Involved In Affair

SIMLA, Sept. 27.

The Associated Press understands that a boundary dispute has arisen between India and Tibet on the one side and between the Tehri and Bushire States on the other.

The Superintendent of the Hill States, Simla, and the Political Agent, Tehri, are immediately proceeding to the spot to settle the dispute.

Their decision will settle the boundary and as soon as this is done the question will arise between India and Tibet for the same boundary and will no doubt be dealt with through the usual diplomatic channels.—A.P.

NORTH SEA MYSTERY

Unknown Ship Disappears

HAMBURG, Sept. 27.

An unknown ship and crew disappeared in the sight of another vessel after an explosion off Dogger Bank, North Sea. The fact was reported by Captain Winter of the German Trawler, "Margot." He says that shortly after he espied the lost ship about noon, the helmsman informed him that he had seen a cloud of black and then white smoke where the ship was. "Margot" rushed to the scene, but only found two empty water-tanks, a large lumber, long tree trunks and a pool of oil. A 90 minute search for the survivors revealed nothing.—Reuter.

ANOTHER AIR RECORD

(SPECIAL CABLE).

PARIS, Sept. 27.

A new record of 49 hours and 34 minutes has been established by the mail air liner "Arcenciel" from Natal (Brazil) to Paris.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

Sir Harry Alexander Fanshawe Lindsay has been appointed Director, Imperial Institute.—Reuter.

U. S. TRADE SHOOTS UP

August Export Figure Is Taken As Striking Sign Of Recovery

WASHINGTON, Sept. 27.

A striking sign of trade recovery has been afforded by the exports for August which increased by 54½ million dollars compared with July, giving the largest figure of exports for any August since 1930. Mr. Roper, Secretary for Commerce, attributes the recovery to the improved confidence, following the negotiations for reciprocal trade treaties, though only a treaty with Cuba has been hitherto completed. Imports declined by 7.75 million compared with July.—Reuter.

WELSH TEAM FOR FOOTBALL INTERNATIONAL

(SPECIAL CABLE).

LONDON, Sept. 27.

The following will constitute the Welsh Team for the Football International against England:—

John (Preston), Lawrence (Swansea), Jones (Leicester) Murphy (West Bromwich), Griffiths (Middlesborough), Richards, Phillips (Wolverhampton), O'Callagan (Spurs), Williams (Newcastle), Mills (Leicester)), Willie Evans (Spurs).

"DOCTOR" RUNS AMOK

(Continued from page 1.)

came out flourishing a sword and threatened the landlord and the rent collector and reached out to strike them, when they fled down the stairs.

BATTLE WITH POLICE.

The landlord reported the matter to the Phalton Road Police and Sergeant Butler, who was on duty went to the scene accompanied by a Jamadar from the Station. Sergeant Butler found

Sir Shanmukham Indulges In Bluster

Says Congress Attitude Is Challenge To Patriotism Of "Nationalists" And Not Against Govt.!

MADRAS, Sept. 27.

"The position facing you is a serious one. It is not a challenge to Government. It is a challenge to patriotism and Nationalism of other non-Congressmen," declared Sir R. K. Shanmukham Chetty, addressing a crowded audience to-night at Victoria Public Hall on the Assembly election.

THE ISSUES

He continued: "You are asked to decide whether a person becomes a saint simply because he is clad in Khaddar and pays four annas. Whether patriotism and Nationalism are at all to be found outside the ranks of Congress is the issue that faces the country.

STUDY SYSTEM

I implore the electorate to study the whole electoral question from this viewpoint and record their verdict that even outside the Congress there are men who are patriotic, whose nationalism is unquestioned and whose services to the country are great."

Referring to Congress programme of rejecting the Communal Award and summoning a Constituent Assembly the speaker characterised it as the "most stupendous political bluff that has been presented to the electorate."

OTTAWA & INDIA

As regards the Ottawa Agreement Sir R. K. Shanmukham Chetty said it was a pure business proposition which could be terminated on six months notice. The agreement had been in operation for eighteen months and the speaker quoted figures from Government statistics to show that the agreement was advantageous to India.

TRIBUTE TO MUDALIAR

Referring to Mr. Ramaswami Mudaliar who was seeking re-election for the Assembly, Sir R. K. Shanmukham Chetty said that Mr. Mudaliar had been recognised by all parties in the Assembly as an "oustanding non-official personality."—A.P.

CALCUTTA WELCOMES SPRATT

Workers' Mammoth Meeting At Matiabruz Pays Tributes

CONDEMNS BAN ON COMMUNIST PARTY

(From A Correspondent).

CALCUTTA, September 24.

A mammoth meeting of workers from various mills and workshops was held at the Karbala Maidan to-day to accord a warm reception to Mr Spratt who has recently come down to Calcutta after his release from Naini Jail Mr. Makhan Lal Ghose, presided over tht meeting. The president first moved the following re-

This meeting of all the workers of Matiaburz—I G N G R W., Kesoram cotton mills, and other jute mills appreciates the work and suffering of Comrade Spratt and other comrades of Meerut case, in their struggle for the working class cause and greets Com Spratt and other comrades of Meerut case, on their release from jail with the warmest reception and hopes that they will continue their fight for the same cause."

Comrades Dharani Goswami, Gopen Chakraverty, Gopal Basak Samshul Huda, S. S. Mirajkar and through him all other Bombay comrades are cordially received by all the workers. Then a young worker from the Young Workers' League got up to put a red badge with hammer and sickle on Com. Spratt's person as a token of reception and said that Com Spratt laid the foundation of Y. W. L. and now they have made it a pucca workers' organisation and now they expect the help and leadership of Com. Spratt. Then S. S. Mirajkar described the gallant strike struggle of the Bombay workers and warned the workers of Calcutta against all other parties such as Socialist party, labour party whose work, he said, is only to break the strikes and lead the workers astray: A resolution condemning Government action in declaring Communist Party illegal was passed.

Com Spratt in reply to the reception spoke for a few minutes. He firs began to speak in Hindi and then in English. He said that there were also poor workers and peasants in England and they wanted to get themselves freed from the capitalistic exploitation and to have a solidarity with the workers of India they came to India and fought for their cause. He then called all the workers to be up and doing in their fight against the exploitation. He warned the workers against all sorts of labour parties and parties fighting for deluding the workers from real class struggle and join their own class party.

The meeting was organised under the joint auspices of Red Trade Union Congress and Bengal Jute Workers' Union.

COALFIELD DEADLOCK

Conferences In London To Avert Crisis

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

LONDON, Sept. 27.

Conferences will be held in London to-day to decide the issue of peace or war in the South Wales coalfield. Mr. Ernest Brown, Secretary of Mines, who, owing to the crisis, cancelled his visit to Clyde Bank for the launching of the "Queen Mary", sees first the miners' leaders and then the owners in order "to discuss any suggestion to overcome the obstacles preventing a settlement."

CONFERENCE

Br. Chambers Request Govt. To Convene It.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

A unanimous resolution of the Association of the British Chambers of Commerce at its meeting urged the Government to convene an Imperial Trade Conference next year when the overseas representatives will attend the King's Silver Jubilee celebrations.—Reuter.

FAMOUS BILLIARD PLAYER DEAD

(SPECIAL CABLE).

LONDON, Sept. 27.

Death has occurred of Diggle, the famous billiard player at the age of 72 years.

INTRIGUING POINT OF LAW

Can Corporator Plead Against His Municipality?

KARACHI, Sept. 27.

An interesting legal point wether a Municipal Corporator and also Lawyer at the same time can take up a case against the same Municipal Corporation of which he is the Councillor has arisen.

Causes Court appealing for the disqualification of Mr. Aslam, Bar-at-Law and Corporator, from appearing as a pleader for a client who has filed a suit against the Corporation.—United Press.

SULTANPUR FIRING ECHO

State Allowances For Victims' Families

JULLUNDUR, Sept. 26.

Acting on the recommendations of the Enquiry Committee the Kapurthala State Government, it is understood, have announced the grant of allowances to the families of those who were killed and also to those who were permanently incapacitated as the result of the Sultanpur firing on the last Muhrram day.—United Press.

RELEASE OF KAPURTHALA POLITICALS?

PHAGWARA, Sept. 25.

An impression is gaining ground here that some settlement has been arrived at between the Hindus, Sikhs and Mohammedans at Simla where a deputation of all the parties waited upon the Chief Minister

It is felt that all the political prisoners will be released very shortly.—United Press.

Bearer Shoots Himself With Colonel's Pistol

LAHORE, Sept. 27.

The residents of the Ferozepore Road locality were startled this afternoon by pistol shots ringing out from the Bungalow of Col. Dick, Opthalmologist, Mayo Hospital.

Neighbours who rushed to the scene found the Colonel's bearer lying in a room mortally wounded. There was a smoking pistol lying by his side. They are also stated to have found a note in which the bearer is alleged to have stated that he was committing suicide, lest he should be suspected of the theft of his masters gramophone which was missing.

The pistol is said to belong to Col. Dick who is at present out of Lahore.—A.P.

Batley Beaten By Leigh

LONDON, Sept. 26.

In a match under Rugby Northern Union Rules to-day Batley lost to Leigh by 15 points to 7.—Reuter.

HISTORIC OCCASION

Afghanistan's Entry Into League Will Invigorate It

GENEVA, Sept. 27.

The Aga Khan speaking at the meeting of the Assembly at which Afghanistan was unanimously admitted to the League of Nations said that no representative of India, no Muslim, no Asi-

Time had been when the Rulers of Afghanistan were content and determined to keep their Nation aloof from the hurly-burly of the world. To-day Afghanistan set her seal to a momentous change. He had long felt that the League was in danger of becoming too occidental, too representative of one creed to be truly Catholic and universal.

To a Muslim like himself it was not a small thing that another Islamic Nation was entering the League. Afghanistan's entry would strengthen and invigorate the League in pursuit of their common ideals with fresh ideas and outlook.

India, however much as she might seek from the West, her political institutions remained a true daughter of the East, proud of her Eastern blood, languages and cultures. These she shared with Afghanistan and seventy million of her peoples shared with Afghanistan the glorious brotherhood of Islam.—Reuter

ANOTHER LEASE OF LIFE TO BIHAR COUNCIL

RANCHI, Sept. 27.

His Excellency the Governor has extended the term of the Bihar and Orissa Legislative Council for a further period of one year from January, 19, 1935, the special circumstances for the extension being the impending constitutional developments and the improbability of the new Council running its full course.—A.P.

Indian Institute Of Science

TRIVANDRUM, Sept. 27.

Sir C. V. Raman, Mr. Ranga Rao, Chief Secretary, Mysore Government and Mr. Rao, Accountant General, Madras, were present at a meeting of the Court of Indian Institute of Science, of which Sir Mahomed Habibulla is the President, at Baktivilas this morning. They are staying as State guests.

Sir C. V. Raman delivers an inaugural address this evening at the Inter-collegiate Union.—A.P.

JAPANESE WORLD TOURISTS IN RANGOON

RANGOON, Sept. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Ito, a Japanese couple, who started on a world tour, arrived here and were given a warm reception on the wharf by the leaders of different. Burmese Political Organisations.—United Press.

BRITISH ENTERPRISE NOT DEAD

German Opinion On "The Queen Mary"

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

BERLIN, Sept. 26.

German newspapers give great prominence to the launching of the Queen Mary, and express the opinion that it symbolises the fact that British enterprise is not dead, and that Britain is determined to win back everything she lost in the war.

The hope is expressed that the agreement between the British and French lines to run the Queen Mary alternatively with the huge new French liner "Normandie, now being completed at St. Nazaire, will lead to a more complete agreement embracing German and Italian trans-Atlantic liners.

BRITISH—AMERICAN CUP YACHTING

Yanks Win First Contest Of Series At Oyster Bay

(Special Cable.)

OYSTER BAY, Sept. 26.

The first race in the British-American Cup 6 Metre Yacht series sailed to-day over a 12 mile windward and leeward course resulted in a win for the United States which scored 23¼ points against 10 points scored by Britain.

The order of finishing was as follows: Anis, Challenger, Bob Cat, Lucie, Kyla, Saskia, Melita and Versa.

The winner's time was 2 hours, 18 minutes, 45 seconds. Kyla's time was 2 hours, 23 minutes, 25 seconds.

MONTREAL SILVER EXCHANGES

(Special Cable.)

NEW YORK, September 26.

In a statement to Reuter, the representatives of the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges declared that the opening of the Montreal silver exchanges has been postponed to October 3, owing to state negotiations between the two stock exchanges for the esablishment, in respective cities, of silver futures trading.

STOP PRESS

ASSEMBLY CLOSES

GENEVA, Sept. 27.

The League Assembly closed after adopting the various reports that had been discussed and adopted in the Committee.—Reuter.

LEAGUE & SAAR

GENEVA, Sept. 27.

The League negotiations with Germany on the Saar question have begun. It is hoped that a definite agreement thereon will be reached by November. Meanwhile the Council which finished examination of the Saar Governing Commission's report this afternoon decided to convene another extraordinary meeting of the Council on November 15 to deal with the subject. Of the minor questions hitherto discussed with Germany, that of recruiting police for the Plebiscite is proving most difficult, Germany declaring that outside police is unnecessary and if the Council proceeded with the intentions the Germans will not accept the consequences. League, however, remains adamant on this point.—Reuter.

ITALY & AUSTRIA.

GENEVA, Sept. 27.

With regard to the tripartite declaration reaffirming Austria's independence, the Italian reply is not yet received, though it is believed to be favourable.—Reuter.

TEXT OF AGREEMENT.

GENEVA, Sept. 27.

The text of the declaration issued in the name of Britain, France and Italy, concerning Austrian independence says that, "Having made a fresh examination of the situation with regard to Austria the representatives of France, Britain and Italy agreed on behalf of their Governments to recognise that the declaration of February 17, with regard to the necessity of maintaining the independence and integrity of Austria in conformity with the existing treaties preserves all its strength and will continue to inspire their common policy."—Reuter.

put out, but when he knocked at the door, it is stated Chhawaya slashed at the officer with a sword and struck him on the fore-arm, very nearly severing it.

The Jemadar, who went to the officer's rescue was struck on the face, and his nose was cut off. The man was wielding his sword and slashing out repeatedly at the two police officers, and the latter thereupon, sought refuge in a vacant room and locked themselves in. The landlord and the rent-collector, who had accompanied the Police, also bolted and locked themselves up in another room. Meanwhile, news spread that the police had been attacked and a big mob gathered outside the building, but no one dared to go up. Purshottamdas Giga, a relative of the landlord, went up the stairway and was dealt a nasty blow across his cheek and he came reeling down bleeding profusely. A police constable then ran upstairs to the rescue of the Sergeant, who had locked himself up, but before he could get at the assailant, he too received several wounds on the face and neck. By this time, information had reached the Palton Road Police Station and Inspector Bird, taking with him as many officers and constables as were available, hurried to the scene in taxis.

RUSHED TO HOSPITAL

Chhawaya was still pacing up and down on the gangway of the third floor challenging all to come up. Even the sight of a number of Police officers and constables failed to awe him into submission.

Inspector Bird called upon the man to surrender, but instead, he flourished his sword and dared him to come up. A shot was then, it is stated, fired in the air but the infuriated Chhawaya struck Inspector Bird across the shoulder blade, narrowly missing his neck and darted forward.

Inspector Bird although bleeding profusely, fired again at the man and struck him on the abdomen, and another shot found its mark in the region of the heart.

Chhawaya collapsed and the police tied him up with ropes and promptly removed him to the G. T. Hospital, where he died.

Sergeant Butler and the Havildar were then rescued and all the injured were rushed to Hospital. Sergeant Butler had lost a lot of blood and was in a state of collapse, when he was removed to the St. George's Hospital.

Chhawaya is a man of robust build and is reported to be a Hakim from Madras who has been in Bombay for some months.

Situation Vacant.

Applications are invited for the post of BRANCH MANAGER of this Company at Bombay

None but experienced men need apply. Other considerations equal or nearly equal, preference will be given to a native of the Bombay Presidency.

Salary according to qualifications.

Applications to be sent so as to reach before the 15th October, 1934.

The Managing Director,
THE UNITED INDIA LIFE ASSURANCE CO., LTD.

"United India Assurance Buildings," Post Box 281, MADRAS.
Madras, 24th Sept., 1934.

Evils Of Usury

HOW TO AVOID THEM

Our Readers' Views

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—One is very much perplexed when reading the discussions that are going on at present in the legislatures and in the Press on the subject of indebtedness in India. This is mainly due to most of the statements being far too exaggerated to be believed even by people with the meanest intelligence. To take only one instance, a responsible member of the local Legislative Council stated in the course of the debate on Mr. Syed Munawar's Money-lending Regulation Bill on 18th August 1934 that "they (the money-lenders) not only recover the interest equal to the capital in a month, but also the money they lend. That is to say, they earn interest from 300 to 500 per cent on their capital." This sort of camouflage helps nobody but only hinders the dispassionate consideration of a very intricate problem.

Why go on merely condemning the sowcar for charging 'extortionate' interest? Why not try and oust him from his business especially at this time when deposits are accumulating in huge amounts in the vaults of banks (including co-operative banks) which are talking about money being "unlendable"? If sowcars are really earning "from 300 to 500 per cent on their capital" or, for that matter, even say 10 to 15 per cent the banks could easily tap this outlet for their idle money by charging reasonable rates to our unhappy agricultural and industrial workers, and at the same time, declare much higher dividends than they are doing now. But evidently no responsible institution wants to do any unsafe business of the type at present carried on by the sowcars, who in their greed for interest must often be losing the principal also. The problem of indebtedness has got to be faced in a practical way. If we want to eliminate the questionable methods which are now being followed by the greedy "sowcars," we should support legislation on the lines of Mr. Syed Munawar's Money-lending Business Regulation Bill though it may require several necessary modifications.

The following extract from the latest official Year Book of the Union of South Africa, 1931-32, may be interesting and instructive to such of your readers who wish to tackle the problem in right earnest:

"There are three banks in the Union, which may be classified under the general designation of "People's Banks." They are run on a quasi-philanthropic basis, their main object being to assist on a commercial basis persons, who would ordinarily have recourse to the money-lender. The rate of interest at which they lend may at first sight appear high, but it must not be overlooked that this includes the costs of investigation and the collection of interest monthly on small sums. This work involves an amount of book-keeping quite out of proportion to the amount of money turned over.....Advances are made on promissory notes signed by two guarantors. The original rate of interest of 6d. per £1 per month, or 30 per cent per annum, was reduced at the beginning of 1925 to 5d. per £1 per month, or 25 per cent. per annum, and again, from the beginning of 1926, to 4d. per £1 per month, or 20 per cent per annum, and again in April of 1927 to 3d. per £1 per month, or 15 per cent per annum."

I may also point out for the information of your readers that the statutory rate for small loans up to 300 dollars in the U. S. A. is 3-1|2 per cent per month chargeable on actual unpaid balances of the loan.

If our leaders want to find a real remedy for agricultural industrial as well as clerical indebtedness, they may better be advised to see how the above legislative remedies or the interesting land mortgage schemes of State Advances in New Zealand can be adapted to our local conditions rather than merely go on with the condemnation of the speculative and greedy sowcars.—Yours, etc.,

V. P. K.

Bombay, Sept. 26.

In Aid Of Karnatak And Gujarat Peasants

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—Kindly allow me to support the humble suggestion made by a "Congressman" in your today's issue to help the starving peasants of Karnatak and Gujarat by a surcharge of four annas on Congress tickets.

It seems that this simple idea did not occur erelong to any active workers for the cause of the suffering farmers. But still it is not too late for the Reception Committee of the Congress to accept the suggestion as there is nearly a month left over for the Congress Session to begin. The Reception Committee might have commenced to issue tickets by now. But special tickets can be easily issued and the purchasing public can be duly intimated to extend their sympathy to the destitute farmers. I feel quite confident the Congress-minded public of Bombay will gladly agree to help the starving peasants and will not object to their suggestion on account of the delay to be put before them.

I am also aware that the Reception Committee reduced the minimum price of Congress tickets for Rs. 2 in order to enable the poor middle-class to attend the Congress session in large numbers. In this connection I have to point out that such people never grudge to pay a paltry sum of As. 4 or As. 8 for a deserving cause—a cause which they practically realise in their everyday life on account of the sufferings inflicted on them by poverty. Nay, they will never hesitate to part with a morsel to those who have nothing to eat owing to the self-inflicted sufferings. What the poor middle-class object to is not little and worthy charity but demands which exceed their means. In the case of four annas surcharge it will not at all be felt by those who rush to purchase tickets even a month earlier.

It is just possible that some people may argue that this little surcharge may be misconstrued as a compulsory tax on the visiting public. But its amount is so small that the Congress-minded public will thank the Reception Committee for giving them an opportunity to contribute their humble mite to the suffering peasants by saving them the pressure exerted by some workers who resort to door to door collections for much bigger amounts. The idea may also look strange to armchair reasoning; but practical men will hail it a boon in view of its raising thousands to save the destitute farmers, without the least trouble to both the collectors and the poor donors. I have, therefore, to request the Reception Committee to consider promptly and favourably this very simple but extremely practical suggestion and win the gratitude of the silent sufferers in the Congress cause.—Yours, etc.,

"A MIDDLE-CLASS POORMAN."

Bombay, September 28.

Socialist Conference And Congress Pandal

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—It is really very regrettable that the Working Committee of the Reception Committee of the ensuing session of the Indian National Congress have refused the request of the All-India Socialist Conference for the use of the Subjects Committee Pandal. This decision of the Working Committee is ill advised as well as a new departure from the long-standing tradition of the Congress to allow the use of the Pandal. It cannot be denied that Congress Pandal has been used by many conferences of All-India importance by various Schools of thought at the time of Congress session And this privilege, it seems, has become the tradition. If it is so, then why have the Working Committee refused to allow, the use of one of its Pandals to the Socialists? Why is this step-motherly treatment meted out to this particular group of the Congress? Socialists are staunch Congressmen and their goal is the same as that of the Congress Only they think differently from other Congressmen. Already there is a feeling abroad that the Socialists are not wanted in the Congress as they are courageous enough to "revolt" against those who have no intention of loosening their hold over the Congress This attitude of certain Congressmen in the Reception Committee will strengthen that unfortunate suspicion in the public mind that there is a "clique" in the Reception Committee which does not desire the ascendancy of the Socialists, in the ensuing session of the Bombay Congress. I hope Sir, that the Working Committee will reconsider this matter and revise its decision.—Yours, etc.,

M. S RAJADHYAX.

Dadar, September 27.

A group photo of the first College Students' Volunteer Corps of the Congress Reception Committee taken on the completion of the training. Seated on chairs are Mr. Mukund Balsavar, the Commandant, Mr. Yusuf J. Meherally, the G.O.C. and Mr. Shah, Assistant Commandant.

SPECIAL TRAIN FOR PRESIDENT-ELECT

Reception Committee Plans Big Procession

(Through the Publicity Bureau of Reception Committee).

The President's Reception Arrangements Sub-Committee met on Wednesday night to discuss the details as to the manner in which a fitting reception should be given to the President-elect of the 48th Session of the Indian National Congress.

It is arranged that the President-elect should be conveyed from Kalyan to the Victoria Terminus by special train arranged for the purpose. From Victoria Terminus, the President-elect will be taken in procession through Crawford Market, Jumma Masjid, Jhaveri Bazaar, Girgaum Back Road, Prarthana Samaj to the Congress House.

The details about the procession and other arrangements 'en route' are still under consideration.

Training Class For "D" Ward Volunteers

A training class for volunteers enrolled in 'D' Ward will be opened to-morrow, Saturday, at 6-30 p.m. at the Congress House.

Medical examination of the cadets will take place the same day at the same place at 7 p.m.

All those who have enrolled themselves as volunteers in that Ward or are desirous of taking training are required to be present punctually at 6-30 p.m. at the Congress House.

Officers Meet G. O. C.

As previously announced officers of the Volunteer Force trained at the first Officers Training Camp at the Jinnah Hall gathered at the Congress House on Wednesday evening for an officers' rally and parade.

The G.O.C. inspected the officers. He explained to them various details about the arrangements at the Abdul Gaffar Nagar and described to them the various duties to which they would have to attend during the Congress Session. He told them that as officers they had undertaken heavy responsibilities and the whole reputation of the Volunteer Force as well as that of the Congress was in their keeping. He had no doubt that they would acquit themselves creditably.

G. O. C. Visits "C" Ward

The G.O.C. of the Volunteer Force of the Congress Reception Committee met by appointment the volunteers enrolled in 'C' Ward and taking training in the different camps in that ward on Wednesday night.

About 200 were present.

He was impressed with the training that they had already had. He also enquired of the volunteers about their difficulties and had a cordial talk with them.

Accommodation Sub-Committee

A meeting of the Ticket Office Sub-Committee will be held on Friday the 28th instant at 6 p.m. (S.T.) at the Congress House.

The members of the Accommodation Sub-Committee will visit the Abdul Gaffar Nagar on Sunday the 30th at 9 p.m. to inspect the delegates camp.

All the members are requested to be present at the Congress House punctually.

STALLS AND ADVERTISEMENT

As the day of the opening of the Exhibition is drawing near, the office is flooded with enquiries about the Stalls and advertisements. Very few stalls are remaining unbooked.

As for advertisement the rates are from Rs. 1/12 to 1/4 depending on the prominence of the space. The respective advertisers are requested to apply personally at the Office of the Exhibition Committee, Congress House, to avoid disappointment.

The special Kiosks are kept inside the Exhibition and there are some other special prominent spaces also, for which special rates are charged.

TICKETS TO SUBJECTS COMMITTEE

Move To Get The Rate Reduced

An agitation is going on among Congressmen to get the rates of admission for visitors to the Subjects Committee meeting reduced from Rs. 25 to Rs. 10.

A few days ago, the Working Committee of the Reception Committee decided to fix the rates of admission to the Subjects Committee for visitors at Rs. 25.

Mr. S. D. Dongre and Mr. Jayant Dalal, both members of the Reception Committee, have drafted resolutions to be moved at the next meeting of the Reception Committee to get the resolution of the Working Committee regarding the rates of admission into the Subjects Committee rescinded.

Mr. Dongre informed the General Secretary, who has replied that under section XVI of the Congress Constitution no other resolution except that of the election of the Congress President would be allowed to be moved at the meeting on the 29th instant.

This has given rise to speculation as to how, those members of the Reception Committee, who are against the Rs. 25 rate will get it rescinded by the Reception Committee, if it is not allowed to be moved by the Chairman at the next meeting.

Some of them are getting signatures of members of the Reception Committee to call a special general body meeting of Reception Committee to discuss the above question.

An Amritsar message states:—That the total amount collected so far for the rebuilding of Patna Sahib Gurdwara amounts to Rs. 40,000.

VOTE FOR NARIMAN AND DESHMUKH

Bombay Medical Union's Appeal To Assembly Electorate

The following resolutions were unanimously passed at a meeting of the members of the Managing Committee of the Bombay Medical Union, held on Wednesday, under the presidentship of Dr. A. S. Erulkar:—

That the Bombay Medical Union supports the candidature of Dr. G.V. Deshmukh for the Indian Legislative Assembly Election in the belief that he would work best in the interest of the medical profession. The Union, therefore, trusts that the members of the Medical profession and the public would solidly vote for him and return him to the Assembly.

That the Managing Committee of the Bombay Medical Union appreciates and accepts the assurance of Mr. K.F. Nariman that he will safeguard the interests of the medical profession and appeals to members of the medical profession and the public to support his candidature also.

"SENSE OF PURITY IN KHADI"

Sjt. V.V. Jerajani, Agent A.I.S.A., Bombay Branch, writes:—

A continent-returned young graduate and businessman of my acquaintance recently returned from Colombo after taking a vow of wearing Khaddar there. He says that his decision to take to Khadi was mainly due to the amazing and unflinching faith of Dr. E.V. Ratnam, a well-known Surgeon in Colombo, in Khadi. His friend Mr. Dravin B. Diwanji often used to discuss matters regarding Khadi with him. Dr. E. V. Ratnam used to say much about Khadi, the most characteristic and noteworthy of his expressions was that:—

"I feel a sense of purity in Khaddar."

Dana Bunder Employees' Lead

The members of the Dana Bunder Employees' Hit-Wardhak Association have passed the following resolution in their general meeting on the occasion of the Gandhi Jayanti:—

"It is resolved that the employees in the service of the members of the Grain Merchants' Association be given the Khadi Hundies in place of cash amount, given to them every year as bonus. The Merchants are also requested to give to their employees Khadi Hundies in place of cash bonus."

These servants of Dana Bunder rightly deserve our congratulations for their patriotic lead on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti. If the rest of the servants' world would resolve and act likewise. Khadi Sales worth Rs. 2,00,000 can be accomplished within a day.

"KHADI HAS A DEFINITE PLACE"

Shrimati Leelavati Munshi writes:—

"I am glad that this year also Gandhi Birthday Anniversary is observed by Sales of Khadi.

"The Khadi has a definite place in our every-day life, and it has come to stay.

"I hope all the national-minded people will buy Khadi as much as possible during this period and help in the work."

"Restriction Of Congress Franchise, Unpolitical"

Charka Too Crude To Supply Vital Link Between Classes & Masses, Says Bengal Socialist Leader

CALCUTTA, (By Mail).

The Organising Committee of the Bengal Congress Socialist Party has issued the following statement to the press by way of criticism of Mahatma Gandhi's statement:

"Mahatma Gandhi's statement in connection with his contemplated retirement from the Congress is a passionate plea "for all concerned to set freely and boldly according to their own convictions." He is terribly oppressed with the feeling that the Congress intellectual, while extending unexampled loyalty and devotion to his personal leadership, have never been able to subscribe to his theories of truth and non-violence and khaddar. He feels that they are tired of his method and views and hold him to be "a hindrance rather than help to the natural growth of the Congress." Lest it should be said that this impression is wrong, he wants to test Congress feeling by moving a series of resolutions, which would have no room for any half-hearted allegiance to his leadership.

"CHOICE BEFORE US"

"The choice before us is thus presented by Gandhiji himself in a sharp and acute form. Have we the courage to agree with him that the ideological breach between him and us does exist? And, that this breach which, even after 14 years of loyalty and obedience, could not end in an ideological harmony between the leader and the led, neutralises his leadership? This does not look so easy. Another round of political barrenness threatens us.

"The Congress rank and file and intelligentsia have already organised themselves in the Congress Socialist Party. Gandhiji refers in his statement to his fundamental differences with the party's programme.

PROGRAMME OF ACTION

"The Party's constructive programme is a programme of action directed towards furthering the ideological clarifications of the masses, and bringing about their organisational strength through participation in their struggles. We consider, therefore, the restriction of Congress franchise to hand-spinning and khaddar as reactionary and unpolitical, as it excludes the broad masses of workers and peasants from the Congress fold and introduce extraneous non-political issues into our fight for independence. Charka is too crude to supply the vital link between the masses and the intelligentsia. Only through solidarity of ideas and community of experience in a struggle waged shoulder to shoulder, will a section of intelligentsia raze down the class barrier that separates it from the peasantry and workers.

"Let Congress and the country choose between action and political barrenness."—United Press.

CONGRESS RECEPTION COMMITTEE MEETING

Will Be Held To-morrow At Jinnah Hall To Elect President

The full meeting of the members of the Reception Committee of the 48th Session of the Indian National Congress will be held on Saturday, September 29, at 5 p.m. (S.T.) at the Jinnah Hall, to elect the President for the coming session of the Congress.

Members of the Reception Committee should note that no individual invitations have been issued.

Sardar Will Speak

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel will speak on "Gandhi Jayanti" tomorrow (Saturday) in Mandvi, at 6 p.m.

MAHILA SAMAJ & GANDHI JAYANTI.

Gandhi Birthday will be celebrated on October 2, by the Hindu Mahila Samaj. The following will be the programme:—

7 to 8 a.m.:—Prayer Songs and Spinning.

10-30 a.m.—Distribution of sweets to Harijan children.

3-30 p.m.:—Meeting in the Gokhale Hall of the Brahman Sabha, presided over by Dr. Mhaskar. Certificates will be given to the successful candidates in the First Aid Course. Children's Mela.

R. C. SUB-COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The following Sub-Committees of the Congress Reception Committee will meet to-day (Friday) at the Congress House:—

6 p.m. (S.T.) Ticket Office Sub-Committee.

6-30 p.m. (S.T.) General Purposes Sub-Committee.

Flag Salutation At Chowpatty

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, President of the Indian National Congress, will unfurl the National Flag and inaugurate the Gandhi Jayanti celebrations on Sunday, the 30th instant, at 8 a.m. (S.T.) on the Chowpatty sands.

The function will be under the joint auspices of the B. P. C. C. and the Girgaon District Congress Committee.

Gandhi Jayanti Meeting

Under the joint auspices of the B. P. C. C. and the Girgaon District Congress Committee there will be a public meeting on Tuesday, the 2nd October, at 6 p.m. (S.T.) on the Chawpatty sands to celebrate the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi.

Sjt. Bhulabhai J. Desai, Advocate, will be the principal speaker and Mrs. Sarojini Naidu will preside.

ECONOMIC BASIS OF SOCIAL REFORM

Prof. Shah's Instructive Lecture At Baroda

(From Our Correspondent)

BARODA, Sept 25

Under the auspices of Gujarati Sahitya Sabha, Prof. K. T. Shah, delivered a lecture on "The economic foundation of Social Reform" when Naib Dewan Mr. Manilal Balabhai Nanavati presided.

At the outset, Prof. Shah traced the history of the scope of economics and allied sciences in ancient literature. He defined social reform as transition in conventions to suit the times and contrasted it with the Western conception which considered change in the main forces of tradition as a step towards social reform. He urged all to direct their attention to the main foundations of present social order and urged the reformation of society by adapting it to meet the needs of the day.

The Professor discussed in detail how individualism makes longer strides than society and suggested reform in the latter.

Emphasising the predominance of the economic sphere in society the speaker pleaded for standardisation of social sciences to achieve tangible results. Legislation may not affect the human mind much but it is really useful to clear certain misconceptions because it serves as a good guide for achieving the path of social reform.

He suggested consolidation of social order but said that individual liberty should not be restricted with harsh limitations. Discussing about race cultivation and birth-control he exhorted the audience to change the weak, suspicions, ignorant and poor individual into a strong, clear educated and fertile one in order to develop all faculties for breeding good stock which would change the matters of accident of to-day to systematised process of production on asclentific basis.

The president of the meeting winding up the proceedings, said that the foundation of social order of any country is dependent on the degree of economic emancipation achieved by the country. He cited India as a typical example which is suffering from abject poverty, where 50 to 60 per cent of the people have no bare means to subsist upon and urged all to evolve a constructive scheme for increasing the wealth and welfare of the masses.

Malaviya Supports Jamnadas Mehta

BOMBAY, Thursday.

Mr. Jamnadas Mehta has received the following telegram from Pandit Malaviya from Lahore:—

"Thanks welcome Democratic Swaraj Party's co-operation to the Nationalist Party. I support your candidature for the Assembly."—United Press.

JOG FOR ASSEMBLY

DHARWAR, Sept. 27.

It is understood that Mr. V. N. Jog, M.L.C., intends to stand as a candidate to the Assemby at the ensuing election on the Democratic Swaraj Party ticket.

The Shankara Acharya of Puri has supported his candidature.—United Press.

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PIONEER OF INDIAN CHRISTIANITY

Rev. H. A. Popley's Tribute To Late Mr. K. T. Paul

The Rev. H. A. Popley writes as follows in "Young Men of India Burma and Ceylon".

It is no easy thing to write of one who was to me more than a leader and a chief, much more than a great Christian organiser and pioneer, who was indeed my most intimate and cherished friend for many years. I had the privilege of sharing deeply and intimately his home life and his public service and of entering into his personal feelings and thoughts.

He will be remembered principally as the first Indian chief of the Young Men's Christian Associations of India, Burma and Ceylon, who led that organisation into widening paths of national service.

It was his many sidedness of mind and his critical acumen that made him a welcome guest in all homes over the world One of his colleagues says of him: 'Along each of the many lines that he followed up, his mind worked quickly, penetratingly and constructively'. The tributes that were paid to Mr. Paul have shown the high estimation in which he was held by leaders of thought and public opinion all over the world and there is no need at this time to add to those tributes. H E Lord Willingdon who knew him well, expressed the feeling of all when he said: "He has left behind him a great record of social service and a memory to us all of one who was respected and honoured by all who knew him."

I like to pay a tribute to one who has recently left us and to whose influence in his life K. T. was never tired of referring. His mother was his guide and counsellor, and she it was who was responsible for much of the greatness of his character and for the nurture of many of his finer qualities. She has now passed on to be with him whom she loved so well, and who ever held her in honour

Everyone who knew him at all was struck by the fact that, with all his many-sided interests and his sympathy with the West, and with all his knowledge of the world, his life was rooted in the soil of his native land and especially of the South of India. In his home life and customs he remained essentially Indian. But more than this, his thought and ideas were rooted in the soil of his country. He was thoroughly familiar, as few Indian Christians are, with the literature and traditions of the Tamil land.

Allied to his love of his native soil and literature was his passion for making Christian life and worship truly indigenous and freeing it from the western garments in which it had been clothed by missions and their workers. I have before me two pamphlets written by him in 1921, entitled 'Can Christianity be nationalised in India"? and 'How Missions denationalise Indians', in which he stresses this point of view. He refers with sorrow to the superior attitude taken up by many Indian Christians to Hindu culture and to the ignorance of the average Christian of the ancient heritage of Indian folklore and epic romance. Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar calls him 'the pioneer in the building up of a truly Indian Christianity'. It was largely due to Mr Paul that an indigenous form of liturgical service, culled from Christian devotional literature, was accepted by the South Indian United Church and is used to-day in many churches throughout the South. He was a pioneer in the naturalisation of Christian life and worship to the Indian soil and was privileged to see before his death a great change in this respect in the Indian church, which is largely due to his own influence.

He always demanded both from himself and from others constructive application of ideas to life. Take the whole idea of Rural Reconstruction with which he was so intimately associated. He thrtw out the phrase one day and it was not long before he had clothed it in practical forms, out of which emerged the Rural Reconstruction Centre which the Y.M.C.A. has been able to demonstrate so thoroughly

When he first went to London in 1919, he came across large numbers of Indian students who had no rallying centre and no place were they could get the advice and help that they wanted. It was his agile mind and constructive thought that gave shape to the idea of an Indian Students' Hostel in the heart of London, managed by the Indian National Council, and no sooner had he realized the value of this than he set about planning for its realisation, and as a result the Hostel in Gower Street came into existence. He combined Eastern idealism with western practicality, as he showed again and again. The tribute paid to him by Romain Rolland is very true and apt: 'An Indian Christian and friend of Mr Gandhi, a great and impartial mind filled alike with the thought of the East and the West, who unites the historical precision of Europe and its science of facts with the science of the soul, a peculiarly Indian science.'

His knowledge of rural problems and his intimate contacts with the need of the cultivators inspired in him a keen enthusiasm for the co-operative movement. He was one of the first to realise the value of this movement for the poor agriculturist and agricultural worker and he threw his whole energy for some years into the creation of societies for the depressed classes. When he found that finance was not available to such societies, he founded the Christian Central Bank, with the help of men like Sherwood Eddy During the last years of his life Government recognised his knowledge of this subject by appointing him to the Townsend Commission on Co-operation, and he was largely responsible for some of the most constructive sections of its report.

CULTIVATORS ATTACK LANDLORD

Seven Persons Killed In Free Fight In Punjab Village

LAHORE, Sept. 27.

According to a report published by the "Bande Mataram" a clash between Hindu and Muslim agriculturists occurred in the village of Harnwali in Mianwali district in which about 150 Muslim cultivators attacked a Hindu landlord named Rupchand and some of his men when they were going to attend to their lands.

The fight in which spears and lathis were used is reported to have resulted in six men being killed on the spot and two grievously injured, one succumbing to the wounds subsequently.

The Report adds: The Deputy Commissioner has hurried to the spot from Mianwali.—

SANGUINARY BATTLE

LATER.

The reported clash at Harnali in Mianwali district is described as a sanguinary battle lasting three hours and staged on an open maidan. The combatants numbered nearly two hundred and some on both sides were on horseback armed with various lethal weapons.

It is stated that Rupchand, the Sahukar, had obtained a decree for Rs. 6,000 against a Muslim debtor and accompanied by a party of about hundred including bailiffs came to attach the debtor's land. They found themselves opposed by a party of Muslim cultivators who, it is alleged, were armed with spears and staves. Soon a clash occurred in which eight persons are said to have lost their lives and fifty more or less seriously injured. Rupchand's party is said to have lost six men.

WOMEN'S APPEAL TO END QUARREL

It is stated that when the fight was going on a Muslim woman with a copy of the Quran in hand came to the scene and appealed to the combatants to cease fighting but her appeal went in vain and she was herself injured.

Telegrams are said to have been sent to higher authorities expressing the fears that the situation might take a communal turn.—A.P.

The Imperial Bank of India rate of interest on Demand Loans on Government Paper remains unchanged at 3-1/2 per cent.

POLITICAL VIEWS THAT COUNT

Candidates Should Not Be Judged By Their Religion, Says Asaf Ali

NEW DELHI, Sept. 27.

Regretting the turn of election controversy for the General Constituency of Delhi Mr. Asaf Ali in the course of a statement says:—

"I must declare at once that I stand on principle and merit of political issues, the Congress has placed before the country . . and the programme I have explained from time to time.

"However grateful I may be to those who like to favour me because I am a Muslim Congressman, I beg all electors to dismiss all considerations other than the political school of thought I represent.

I stand on the same level as any rival Hindu candidate and desire all the candidates to be judged by their political views and merits and not by religion.

"It has been my earnest effort in connection with the elections not to allow any but political issues to be the policy and principles, and I do not ask for any charity or generosity. I want fair deal and no concessions."—United Press.

ELECTION PROPAGANDA IN C. INDIA

Strong Support For Congress Candidate

AJMER, (By Mail.)

The Assembly election propaganda is becoming more and more lively in the province.

Recommendatory messages are being obtained by different candidates. Sjt. Harbilas Sarda has addressed a personal appeal to Europeans in which he has expressed his gratefulness to them for the support they had unhesitatingly given him. Mr. Sarda has forwarded to each one of them a message from Col. Sir Henry Gidney M. L. A. President Anglo-Indian and Domiciled European Association, India and Burma.

The Congress candidate is being supported by nationalists of the Province and outside. An appeal signed by two hundred voters of Beawar has been published to-day and is being distributed.

Prominent Congressmen of the province like Pandit Arjunlal Sethi, Messrs. Haribhau Upadhyaya, Gaurishanker Bhargava, Nathoviagi Ghiya, and others are offering him not only moral but also practical support.—United Press.

Professors And Students Of Muslim University On Tour

(From A Correspondent.)

BANGALORE, Sept. 25.

A batch of students with three professors of the Muslim University, Aligarh, are arriving in Bangalore on Tuesday by the Madras Express. They propose to stay here for a couple of days and visit all places of importance. Orders have been issued by the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore to give every facility to the tourists to visit institutions in the State.

While in Bangalore the tourists will be the guests of Mr. Abdul Rahim Ganjami, Small Causes Judge, Bangalore, who happens to be an old Aligarh student, and arrangements for their boarding and lodging are made in No. 10 Beverely, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore City.

23,000 SARIS SENT FOR ASSAM SISTERS

Mrs. Amrit Kaur writes:—

Through the grace of Almighty God and the generosity of Bombay and Ahmedabad citizens, 23,000 saris and clothing and Rs 10,000 in cash have been sent for Assam Flood relief. The Congress Relief Committee, Nowgong write that no one is naked in Assam now. Every needy woman has at least got one sari or cloth to cover herself. But the Congress Relief Committee has appealed for 10,000 blankets to save old, sick and children from the biting Assam winter which is fast approaching.

Encouraged by the splendid response given to my appeal for saris and clothing, I request Bombay citizens to give atleast 10,000 blankets and earn the blessings of God.

I thank from the bottom of my heart all those hundreds of contributors, men and women, who contributed so liberally for Saris and clothing and thus enabled me to fulfill my vow of supplying 20,000 saris for Assam sisters. I also thank the Bombay Press who very kindly gave publicity to the sufferings of Assam and were a chief factor in getting collections.

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CROWN—A SACRED TRUST

(Continued from page 6.)

on behalf of the Indian Khilafatists to Stambol authorities praying for his restoration. Kemalists naturally considered this as a dangerous move which, if, allowed to grow, might lead to serious trouble in the country; so as a measure of safety for the newly-established Republic, it was decided to remove this menace by deporting the 'Khalifa' and all his retinue from the country. Thus the Indian agitation, though well-intentioned and sincere, instead of conferring any benefits or advantage to their religious head, rather precipitated the crisis and it is possible that if it were not for this excuse, the 'Khalifa' might still have continued at least as a nominal religious head of Islam.

Lesson For Indian Princes

Eighteen years after the Chinese royal episode, a minor protege, though from a side branch of the same ancient Asiatic Imperial House, the King of Siam, in 1932, maintained the same Eastern notion about the Crown as a 'sacred trust of the people' and very wisely and discreetly yielded to the popular will, even before the first blow was struck, and thus saved his House, country and people from the needless misery and suffering of a civil war and certain disaster. Will our potentates, the Indian Rajahs, Maharajahs and Nawabs, awaken, in good time, from their fairy dreams and learn some valuable and useful lessons from their Asiatic Imperial colleagues, or will they still continue in the Western delusion of paramountcy and foreign protectorate, till one fine morning they will be sadly awakened to the bitter realities and reminded of the religious Eastern regal doctrine that the 'crown is only a sacred trust of the people' and not a toy for personal sport and gratification and that in these days of republican democracies, the old exploded theory and method of paramountcy and dynastic treaty rights, cannot be sufficient protection, against the irresistible and advancing avalanche of popular awakening and national sentiments? When such ancient traditional religious Imperial Houses of China, 5,000 years old, France and Turkey, with traditions, thousands of years old, could be swept off in a few days in the rising tide, how do these pigmies, in comparison to these great giants, expect to be preserved intact for ever? If they desire even to retain half the loaf, let them be wise like the Chinese Dowager Empress or Siamese King, and yield in time with grace, before it is too late to do so.

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ALLEGED ASSAULT ON WITNESS

Because His Evidence Was Unfavourable To Police?

AMRITSAR, September 25.

One Anant Ram, is alleged to have been beaten by a police officer in the district court premises.

It is stated that Anant Ram appeared as a prosecution witness in a murder case in the Court of Sardar Gurdial Singh, First Class Magistrate and it is alleged his evidence was not very favourable to the police.

As he came out of the court-room and had hardly crossed the verandah, he was caught hold of by a police officer, who abused him and gave him a beating.—United Press.

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Latest Commercial News

NEW YORK COTTON DOWN BY 8 POINTS

Nothing To Stir Market From Lethargic Inactivity

FURTHER SMALL RISE IN GOLD & SILVER

Wheat And Linseed Steady But Tin And Rubber Easy

BOMBAY, Sept 27

On Thursday, the sterling dollar and the sterling franc cross rates were quiet with minor changes.

SMALL CHANGES IN NEW YORK COTTON

New York cotton prices moved within a narrow range. There was hotning to stir the market from its lethargic inactivity. As October liquidation is almost over, prices should likely respond to any bullish news.

SMALL FURTHER RISE IN GOLD AND SILVER

London gold and silver prices witnessed a small further rise.

WHEAT AND LINSEED STEADY

Liverpool and Chicago wheat ruled steady on account of commission houses buying influenced by low official estimate of the Argentine remaining corn surplus. Argentine linseed was very steady.

TIN AND RUBBER EASY

Tin and rubber ruled easy. Jute was unchanged.

GILTEDGED SECURITIES ACTIVE

The London Stock Exchange showed better sentiment on good support. Giltedged securities also displayed some activity.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

(December 1934)

New York, Sept 27

Previous closing	12.57
To-day's opening	12.57
Difference	unchanged
To-day's closing	12.49
Difference	—.08

BEOACH EXPECTATION

April-May ..... Rs. 211-8

LIVERPOOL COTTON

(January 1934)

Liverpool, Sept 27

Previous closing	6.72
To-day's opening	6.68
Difference	—04
To-day's closing	6.68
Difference	—04

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

New York, Sept 27

Dissatisfaction over the terms of settlement of the strike in some quarters continued to mar the peaceful atmosphere created by the recent compromise. Otherwise there was nothing to stir the market from its present lethargic inactivity. However the fact that October liquidation is almost over gives hopes that prices should easily respond to any bullish news. It is now virtually certain that the October estimate will show an increase, a factor which militates against any important rise for the moment.

In the absence of any important enquiry trading in December commenced at 12.57 i.e. unchanged from the previous closing. The demand was very slow and prices in consequence showed very little movement and on some hedge selling December later fell to 12.56 at which stage operators were inclined to hold off pending further developments especially with regard to how far farmers would avail themselves of Government 12 cent loans.

The New York cotton market finally closed at 12.49 with a decline of 8 points.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Sept 27

The following were the opening ranges.

October (12.56/12.56) 12.42/12.42
December (12.72/12.71) 12.57/12.56
January (12.74/12.74) 12.62/12.62

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, Sept 27

The following were the rates at 12-15 p.m.

American October (6.78) 6.73
American December (6.75) 6.70
Egyptian October (8.17) 8.11
Egyptian November (8.19) 8.12

BROACH COTTON

Bombay, Sept 27
10-30 p.m.

Broach A-M was quoted around Rs 212-4 at 10 p.m. when New York futures were about 1 point down.

AHMEDABAD SHARE BAZAR.

Ahmedabad, Sept. 27.

To-day's closing quotations of some of the active Shares in the Ahmedabad Share Bazar were as under:—

	Rs. as. p.
Calico Mills	437 8-0
Ashok Mills	235- 8-0
Marsden Mills	86- 4-0
Jubilee Mills	188-12-0
Bharatkhand Cotton	70- 0-0
Monogram Mills	85-10-0

EXCHANGES

LONDON-NEW YORK CROSS RATE

Latest Quotations

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON.

New York, Sept 27

Previous closing	4.96 7/8
To-day's opening	4.96 1/4
To-day's closing	4.96 1/2

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK.

London, Sept 27

Previous closing	4.97 5/16
To-day's opening	4.96 3/4
To-day's closing	4.96 5/8
Difference	—.00 11/16

FRANC RATE

London, Sept 27

Previous closing	74.59
To-day's opening	74.59
To-day's closing	74.65
Difference	+.06

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Sept. 27.

London exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 4.96-3/4 but thereafter due to the lack of support the rate fell to 4.95-13/16. However it again recovered to 4.96-7/16.

The sterling dollar cross rate closed at 4.96 5/8.

The franc opened at 74.59 but soon eased to 74.46 subsequently rising to 74.53.

The sterling franc cross rate closed at 74.65.

LONDON SILVER

London, Sept 27

The market was steady

	Last price.	To-day's price
Spot	22 5/16d.	22 3/8d.
Forward	22 3/8d.	22 7/16d.

LONDON GOLD

London, Sept 27

Gold (£7-1-3) £7-1-4 1/2

BULLION

London, Sept 27

Influx nil.
Withdrawal (nil) nil
Silver Spot (22 5/16d.) 22 3/8d
Gold per ounce (£7-1-3) £7-1-4 1/2

DISCOUNTS

London, Sept 27

3 months (3/4 to 3/4 p.c.) 3/4 to 13/16 p.c.
4 months (13/16 to 13/16 p.c.) 7/8 to 15/16 p.c.
6 months (7/8 to 15/16 p.c.) 15/16 to 1 p.c.

CROSS RATES

London, Sept 27
3-30 p.m.

London on Bombay (1-6 1/16) 1-6 1/16
Paris on Bombay (5.61 3/4) 5.60 7/8
New York on Bombay (37.50) 37.45
Berlin on Bombay (0.93) 0.93
London on Milan (57.43) 57.43
London on Shanghai (1-5 3/8) 1-5 1/2
London on Kobe (1-2 11/32) 1-2 15/16

BOMBAY BULLION

Bombay, Sept 27

Silver opened steady at Rs. 61/2, 61/2 and 61/4. The market displayed better tendency owing to encouraging advices from abroad and prices improved on good speculative buying but some profit-taking fared down gains. However later in the session the market again showed activity on better London advices and closed steady at Rs. 61/5/6, 61/5/6 and 61/7/6.

Gold opened steady at 35/2, 35/2 and 35/3/3. Prices advanced on a fall in the sterling and some speculative buying and closed at Rs. 35/2/9, 35/2/9 and 35/4.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, Sept. 26.

September	1.04 1/4—.1/2c.
December	1.03 1/2—.5/8c.
May	1.03 5/8—.3/4c.

COMMODITIES

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Sept 27

Liverpool opened quiet with December at 65-3/8, March 68-5/8 and May 70-3/8. The market was rather quiet in the absence of any important enquiry while traders were also disappointed over foreign poor advices.

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, Sept 27

Chicago wheat opened steady with December at 1.03-1/8 and May at 1.03-3/4. The market showed some activity on commission house buying influenced by the low official estimate of Argentine remaining corn surplus.

CHICAGO OATS AND RYE

Chicago, Sept 27

Chicago oats opened steady with December at 52-3/4. Trading was fairly active on some speculative buying.

Chicago rye opened steady with September at 87 and December at 90-1/4. Traders showed some interest but the interest on the whole was negligible.

ARGENTINE LINSEED

Buenos Aires, Sept 27

Argentine linseed opened steady with October option at 13.13 but later prices advanced on the lower surplus estimate which induced some speculative buying with October touching 13.20 at noon, but the tendency then became easy.

LONDON MARKETS

London, Sept 27

The following were the rates at 3-30 p.m. to-day.

METALS.

Tin (£232 7/8 buyers £233 sellers. Dull) £231 1/4 buyers £232 1/2 sellers. Easier.
Lead (£10 5/8 buyers. No sellers) £10 9/16 buyers £10 11/16 sellers. Steady.
Electrolytic Copper (£30 1/2 to £31) £30 to £30 3/4
Glasgow Iron (£70) £70

TEA.

Indian Pekoe (0-10 1/2) 0-10 3/4
Indian Pekoe higher (1-0) 3-8 1/2
Ceylon Pekoe (0-10 1/2) 0-10 1/2
Ceylon Pekoe higher (2-3 1/2) 2-3 1/2

JUTE

Crop Sept-Oct old crop (£14 3/4 sellers) £14 3/4 paid and buyers. Oct-Nov new crop.
Dunlop Sept-Oct (£16 3/4 sellers) £17
Lightening Sept-Oct (£15 1/2 sellers) £15 3/4

RUBBER

Spot (7 3/8) 7 1/4 paid and buyer
Oct-Dec (7 7/16) 7 7/16 paid and buyers

LINSEED

Linseed Bombay Aug-Sept (£11 11/16 sellers) £11 7/8 sellers
Linseed Calcutta Aug-Sept (£11 7/16 sellers) £11 5/8 sellers
Linseed La Plata Aug-Sept (£11 3/4 sellers) £11 3/8 sellers
Groundnuts Coromandal Oct. (£11 3/4 sellers) £11 5/8 sellers

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotations

Bombay, Sept 27

	Rs. as. p.
Wheat September	3 12 0
Wheat January	4 2 0
Wheat May	3 15 3
The market was steady	
Linseed September	6 5 9
Linseed May	6 5 9
The tone was steady.	

JUTES FAIRLY STEADY

Coals Steady And Teas Unchanged

CALCUTTA, Sept. 27.

Jutes ruled fairly steady to-day in sympathy with good outside support. Coals kept fairly steady. Teas were steady and unchanged. Miscellaneous shewed no change. Securities were firm. Following were the closing quotations:—

Securities:—3 per cent. New Loan 1941 99/9; 3½ per cent. Government Paper 91/12; 3½ per cent. loan 1947/50 101/7 small lot; 4 per cent. loan 1960/70 107/14; 5 per cent. loan 1935 102/10; 5 per cent. loan 1945/55 117/10 small lot; 5 per cent. loan 1940/43 109/6; 4 per cent. Punjab Bonds 1948 105/2 small lot; 6½ per cent. Treasury Bonds 1935 103/12 small lot.

Banks:—Central 34; Imperial fully paid 1562; Imperial conty 401.

Railways:—Dehri Rohtas Light 13/8; Sara Serajgunj 94; Shahdara (Delhi) Saharanpur 135.

Cottons:—Benares Cotton and Silk 1/8; Kesoram 4/6; Mohini Mills 10/2; New Victoria pref. 5/4.

Coals:—Amalgamated 20; Bengal 253/8 small lot; Bengal Nagpore ordy. 50; Burrakur 13/15 exdiv; Equittable 25/14; Hurriladih 10/14; Khas Kajora pref. 11/4; New Beerbhoom 14; New Manbhoom 40/8; Pench Valley 38/6; Searsole 2/6; Talcher 2/2.

Jutes:—Adamjee ordy. 11/10; Anglo-India 395 small lot; Auckland 222/8; Alliance 313 ex div; Bally 184; Barnagore 155; Birla 12/14; Birla pref. 114 small lots; Caledonian 487/8 small lot; Clive 32/2 small lot; Dalhousie 362 small lot; Fort Gloster 573; Fort William 272 small lot; Gourepore 563 small lot; Hooghly pref. 21; Howrah 54/5; Hukumchand ordy. 14/8; India 344; Kamarhatty 537; Kanknarrah 458/8 small lot; Kinnison 625; Kelvin 528 small lot; Nuddea 45; Orient 206/8; Reliance 76/8 small lot; Standard 333 small lot; Union 470/8 small lot; Waverley 1/14.

Miscellaneous:—Bengal Chemical ord. 307; Bengal Telephone old issue 18/10; Bengal Telephone pref. 14/14; United Provinces Electric 152; Burn & Co. Ordy. 249/8; Indian Iron and Steel 6/5; Industrial Investment Trust 14/12 premium; British Ceylon Corporation ordy. 9; Bengal Paper Ordy. 95/12; Titaghur Paper ordy. 19/6; Midnapore Zemindary 70.

Sugar Shares:—Balrampur 17/4; Carew & Co. 20/2 small lot; Cawnpore 33/7; Champaran 22 small lot; Murree Brewery 198; New Savan 13/2 small lot; Ryam 34/12 small lot; Samastipore 10/14 small lot.

Tea Shares:—Beteli 6/8; Bishnauth 33/2; Eastern Cachar 11/7; Hattikhira 28; Hassimara 44/12; New Terai 14; Sarugaon 12; Tezpore ord. 12/4; Tezpore pref. 12/4.

Debentures:—4 per cent. 1915/45 Calcutta Municipal Debentures 103/2; 4 per cent. 1913/43 Calcutta Port Trust 103/4.—A. P.

BRIGHTER TONE ON STOCK EXCHANGE AFTER EARLY HESITATION

SUBSTANTIAL ADVANCE IN KAFFIRS

Tin Lower On Poor Support

(SPECIAL CABLE)

LONDON, Sept 27

On the Stock Exchange, the settlement of the past account restricted business but after early hesitation the general tone was brighter, the chief feature in the afternoon being a revival of interest in goldminings, especially Kaffirs which in some instances advanced substantially.

In Commodities, rubber after early weakness in sympathy with lower Eastern American advices, recovered on bear covering, the general opinion here being that the market is oversold. Tin was lower on the poorness of support.

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, Sept 27

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day unchanged at £96

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Sept. 27
3-30 p.m.

Markets generally showed an improved demand after hesitation. Giltedgeds were steady. Home rails were stronger. Industrials generally were rather irregular.

BRITISH FUNDS

3 1/2 per cent Consols (£81 3/4) £81 3/4
3 1/2 per cent Government Loan (£104 7/8) £104 7/8
4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£112) £112
4 per cent Funding Loan (£114 7/8 Ex Div) £114 7/8
6 1/2 per cent War Loan (£105 5/8) £105 5/8
4 per cent Victory Bonds (£112 7/8) £112 7/8

INDUSTRIALS

Brazilian Traction (dol 12 1/4) dol 12 1/4
International Holding (dol 1 5/8) dol 1 5/8
Hydro Electric (dol 5 1/8) dol 5 1/4
Musical Industries (31-10 1/2) 31-1 1/2
Princhin Johnson (40-3) 42-0
Imperial Chemical Defd (36-7 1/2) 36-7 1/2
Imperial Chemical Ord (9-1 1/2) 9-1 1/2
Woolsworth New Ord (114 1/4) 111 1/4
Swadesh Match (7-0) 7-0
Dunlop Rubber (51-7 1/2) 51-7 1/2
University Ordinary (23-9) 23-9
Ford Motors (44-10 1/2) 44-0
Cables and Wireless (8 1/2) 8 1/2
British American Tobacco (125-7 1/2) 126-10 1/2
Camera 'A' (£7 5/8) £7 5/8
Imperial Tobacco Ord (132-9) 134-7 1/2
P and O S N Co Defd (18-6) 18-1 1/2
Distillers (89-0) 89-0
Bredrurd Dyers (11-0) 11-0
British Celonese (12-1 1/2) 11-6
J and P Coates Ordinary (65-6) 66-0
Courtaulds Ordinary (49-0) 48-7 1/2
Fine Cotton Spinners (9-3) 9-3
Wickers Ltd Ordinary (9-9) 9-9
Inter Nickels (25 1/4) 25 1/4
Bengal Iron and Steel (4-9) 4-9
Tata Iron and Steel (£110) £110

HOME RAIL SHARES

Great Western Ord (51) 52
L M S Ord (£22 1/2) £23 1/8
L N E R Defd (£8 1/8) £8 3/8
Southern Defds (£22 3/4) £22 3/4
Landing Pass 5 per stock (£131 1/2) £131
London 'G' Stock (£82) £82

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (256-3) 256-3
Godul (183-9) 183-9
Moddar New (75-0) 75-7 1/2
Sub Nigel (220-0) 220-0
Spring Mines (149-6) 150-0
Union Corporation (145-0) 148-3

INDIAN LOANS

London, Sept 27
3-30 p.m.

3 per cent Indian Stock (£84) £84
3 1/2 per cent Indian Stock (£96) £96
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1958-56 (£113) £113
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1958-68 (£116) £116
4 1/2 per cent New Indian 1948-55 (£108 1/4) £108 1/4
3 1/2 per cent New Indian (1954-59) (£102) £102
3 per cent Indian 1943-47 (£114) £114

AUSTRALIAN LOANS.

5 per cent Australian Loan (£111 1/4) £111

TEA SHARES.

Assam Company (25-0) 23-10 1/2
Empire of India and Ceylon (40-7 1/2) 210-7 1/2
Donaro Tea (57-0) 55-9

JUTES SHARES.

Barnagore (11 1/2) 11 1/2

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo Dutch Rubber (26-7 1/2) 26-3
Gula Kelampong (22-6) 22-6
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (33-3) 33-3

MINING SHARES.

Nandydrug (56-3) 56-3
Burma Corporation (12-3) 12-3
Rio Tintos (14 1/2) 14 1/2
East Rand Proprietary (52-3) 54-9
Rand Mine (142-6) 143-9

OIL SHARES.

Venezuela (40-0) 40-0
Anglo Persian (47-6) 46-10 1/2
Burma Oil (82-6) 82-6
Mexican Eagle (7-4 1/2) 7-0
Shell Transport (48-1 1/2) 48-1 1/2
Royal Dutch (£29 3/4) £30 3/8

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, Sept 27

The following were the opening rates on the New York Stock Exchange.

General Motors (dol 28 7/8) dol 29 3/8
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 12) unquoted.
U S Steel Common (dol 34 1/4) dol 33 3/4
U S Steel Preference (dol 74 3/4) unquoted.

WOOL SALES

Liverpool, Sept 27

In wool sales, greases were sold readily. Others were frequently withdrawn.

Greasy lower to average:—
Lower (0-4 1/2) 0-4 1/2
Higher (1-1 1/2) 1-1
Scored:—
Lower (0-8) 0-8
Higher (1-9) 1-9 1/2

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, Sept. 27.

The local Silver market ruled firm to-day on higher China advices. There was active speculative buying and in the absence of any offerings prices advanced to Rs. 61|1. Gold market was quiet but steady with a limited business. Kartak Gold is quoted at a premium of anna one. The general feeling is uncertain and operators are awaiting developments in foreign countries where active changes in exchanges are believed to be followed by some developments.

Ready Silver	61	2	0
1st Settlement	61	3	0
2nd Settlement	61	6	0
Ready Gold	35	3	0
1st Settlement	35	3	6
2nd Settlement	35	4	9
Sovereigns	22	1	3

GOVERNOR TO VISIT HYDERABAD

KARACHI, Sept. 27.

It is understood that Governor of Bombay, Lord Brabourne, will visit Hyderabad in the coming cold season.

Mukhi Gobindram, a Municipal Councillor has tabled a Resolution to the effect that His Excellency might be presented a civic address of welcome for which Rs. 500 might be sanctioned.—United Press.

NEW INDIA ASSURANCE CO.

Chairman Complains Of Reckless Competition

The 15th. Ordinary general meeting of the New India Assurance Co., Ltd., was held on Thursday evening, at the Company's premises, Sir N. B. Saklatvala presiding.

The Report and Accounts of the Company for the year ended March 31, 1934, were adopted.

A dividend of Rs. 1-3-0 per Share (15 Rupees Paid-up) declared by the Directors was approved.

Sir Sorabji Pochkhanawala Kt., Sir Chunilal V. Mehta, and Mr. Ramnivas Ramnarain were re-elected Directors for the ensuing year.

The Company's present Auditors, Messrs Fergusson and Co., and Messrs. S. B. Billimoria and Co., were again appointed Auditors for the ensuing year.

POINT OF ORDER

A point of order was raised by Mr. P. D. Shamdasani, shareholder, regarding the Resolution appointing the two auditors for the Company as "Joint Auditors" as mentioned in the Resolution, while the Report circulated to the Shareholders notified the appointment of Auditors only. Mr. Shamdasani wanted to split the resolution into two, appointing each auditor separately, so as to allow the removal of either of the Auditors if desired, while retaining the other, or even to permit the appointment of one sole Auditor for the Company.

The point of order was ruled out by the President.

RULED OUT OF ORDER

Mr. Shamdasani then raised another point of order asking whether, "having regard to the notice which had been duly given by the speaker (Mr. Shamdasani)" according to requirements of Sec 144 of the Indian Company's Act of 1930, it would be competent for this Meeting to deal with the omnibus resolution placed before it, with regard to appointment of joint auditors", referred above.

The notice given by Mr. Shamdasani referred to the appointment of another Auditor in place of one of the Company's previous Audit Firms. The notice was served and complied with the provisions of the Companies Act requiring a Notice Period of 14 days before the general meeting.

The Chairman ruled it out of order.

Mr. Shamdasani then made an oral statement which, he insisted, he had the right to make which was allowed to be recorded in the proceedings of the meeting the matter referred to being his formal protest that the rulings given were "arbitrary, and ill-advised".

Profits for the year from the Departments, Fire Marine, Accident, and Life amounted to, by transfers, 3.67 lakhs and together with other incomes and balances of previous year amounted to 10.1 lakhs. After all outgo, Rs. 79,523 was transferred to the Exchange Reserve. Out of net balance of Rs. 7.79 lakhs the Directors recommended dividends at Rs. 1-3-0 per share absorbing 5.64 lakhs leaving a carryforward of Rs. 2,15,322 to next account.

Total funds for the year increased by 9 lakhs. The chairman in his speech pointed out that the company stood as a result of 5 years' working "sixth on the list of new business transacted by Indian Companies, a fairly creditable record, when one considers that there are 130 Indian Companies transacting Life Assurance Business."

The Chairman also deplored the existence of "reckless competition" which "continued in all the more important branches of the business, and it is common knowledge in insurance circles that competition has been made even more reckless by the methods of certain Foreign Insurance Companies."

INSURANCE LEGISLATION

"Such Companies came into this country free, whereas if we try to enter such countries we are faced with deposit and other requirement" observed the Chairman.

The Chairman said that it was pleasing to learn that the Government had decided definitely to take up the question of Insurance Legislation for the country.

SHAREHOLDERS' CRITICISM

Mr Shamdasani and Mr. Mehta made long speeches criticising the policy followed by the management and protested against the absence of provision of Dividend Equalisation funds, while the Reserves had already been receiving heavy increases.

Mr. Shamdasani protested against the alleged manipulation of past reserves which were released to augment the profit figures to show a better face than really warranted by the position.

LIABLE TO CONFISCATION

Notice To Holders Of Unbanderolled Stocks Of Matches

SIMLA, Sept. 27.

In their press communique dated September 10, the Finance Department announced that holders of stocks of unbanderolled matches on October 1 will be required to declare the amount of stocks in their possession.

In this connection the Government of India have made certain rules according to which every person who is an owner of manufactory or is engaged in sale of matches and who has in his possession on October 1 a quantity of matches in boxes or booklets not bearing banderoll shall, if the quantity exceeds 50 gross or boxes of booklets, furnish to the collector a declaration specifying the amount of stocks in his possession.

If this rule is violated the collector may confiscate such matches and cause them to be destroyed.—United Press.

ACTING GOVERNOR OF BIHAR & ORRISSA

SIMLA, Sept. 27.

A Communique says:—

The Secretary of State for India in Council has granted leave to His Excellency Sir James Sifton, Governor of Bihar and Orissa, for a period not exceeding four months with effect from the 12th of October, 1934 or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

His Majesty the King-Emperor has been pleased to approve of the appointment of the Hon. Mr. J.T. Whitty, to act as the Governor of Bihar and Orissa during His Excellency Sir James Sifton's absence.

Khan Bahadur Shaikhdin Muhammad, Mr. H.A.C. Blacker, I.C.S., and Rai Bahadur Lala Rangilal have been appointed to act as Additional Judges of the Lahore High Court from the 1st October, 1934, to the commencement of the High Court's vacation of 1935.—A.P.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Bombay, Sept. 27.

SETTLEMENT

3 1/2 per cent G P N Sett	91/15
3 1/2 per cent G P N Cash	92
4 per cent 1960/70 Sett	107/11
4 per cent 1960/70 Cash	107/13
5 per cent 1945/55 Sett	117/9
5 per cent 1945/55 Cash	117/11

TAX FREES

4 per cent 1953/63 Mysore	107/12
5 per cent 1955 Mysore	118
5 1/2 per cent 1938 Mysore	111
6 1/2 per cent 1935 B D L	104/10

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES. (CASH.)

3 per cent 1941	99/6
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50	101/8
4 per cent 1948	105/9
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60	112/12
5 per cent 1939/44	108/5
5 per cent 1939/43	109/6
5 per cent 1935	102/9
5 1/2 per cent 1938/40	109/6
6 1/2 per cent 1935 T B	103/12

CORPORATION LOANS (TAXABLE)

4 per cent B P T 1974	103/4
4 per cent M Deb 1974	102/2
5 per cent M Deb 1959	113
6 per cent M Deb 1954	124/4
6 per cent K P T 1956	124/4
6 1/2 per cent B I T 1937	106/8

Note:—3 per cent G P Notes opened at 91-14 to close as above.

SIKH LADY WHO KILLED DACOIT

Honoured By Golden Temple Committee And Akali Jatha

AMRITSAR, (By Mail.)

A Sikh yatherinp attended by about 5,000 men and an equal number of ladies was held on Monday night at Manji Sahib, under the auspices of the Golden Temple Managing Committee to welcome Bibi Harnem Kaur of Ferozepur who killed a dacoit and was instrumental in capturing several others when the latter fell upon her father's house a few weeks ago.

Sardar Jaswant Singh Jhabbal, President presented a sum of Rs. 50 and a sword on behalf of the Golden Temple Committee.

A sword and a piece of Khaddar were awarded to Bibi Harnam Kaur by the Sikh ladies Akali Jatha also which is affiliated to the Central Akali Dal.—United Press.

New Orleans Selling & Liquidation

ABSENCE OF ANY BUYING

Professional Operators Holding Aloof

NARROW TRADING MARKETS

Bombay, Sept. 27.

The New York cotton futures market was quiet but steady on Wednesday until closing when prices suddenly declined on New Orleans selling and long liquidation.

The resignation of General Johnson the head of the U. S. National Recovery administration failed to create any undue influence the New York cotton market. Professional operators were awaiting further developments and the market was comparatively steady.

President Roosevelt is to issue a constructive statement to-day as some changes in the N.R.A. are expected to take place to relieve the present dullness in industries. Devaluation of dollar and increased expenditure on public works are also expected. It remains to be seen what will be the actual changes

Cotton is becoming a puzzling affair to traders and operators. Government loans at 12 cent level discourage short sales while poor trade demand and increased southern hedge selling are discouraging buyers. This means that prices are likely to fluctuate within a narrow range and more or less it will be a trading market with possibilities on either side.

The New York cotton futures market opened at a rise of 3 points with December 12.71. There was scattered buying at the opening which added one point to the opening rise and January delivery reached the highest level of the day 12.72 immediately after the opening of the session.

There was scattered selling which was absorbed by local operators and prices fluctuated within a narrow range. In the afternoon there was increased selling from New Orleans which depressed prices. Tired long liquidation helped the decline and a decline of 15 points was registered from the highest level. The market closed at above the lowest level of the day at a net decline of 12 to 7 points. Spot Cotton prices were reduced by 10 points at 12.70c.

The New Orleans cotton futures market was easy and in the absence of any important buying prices declined on increased offerings. The market closed at a decline of 10 to 16 points. Spot cotton prices closed unchanged at 12.87c.

PRIVATE CABLES.

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co., have received to-day the following cable information from their foreign friends:—

Liverpool.—Egyptian Liverpool Sakel. There is more disposition to buy. Improved demand on the spot gives tone to the market. Market seems to be turning.

New York.—Market easy under hedging pressure. Weekly weather favourable.

New York.—Trading narrow. Demand was not sustained. Hedge selling was principal feature. Weather generally favourable.

Messrs. Sarupchand Prithiraj have received the following cables from their foreign friends under yesterday's date:—

New York.—Trading narrow, demand not sustained, hedge selling principal feature, weather generally favourable.

Liverpool.—Egyptian Sakel Liverpool—there is more disposition to buy, improved demand on the spot gives tone to the market: the market seems to be turning.

Messrs. M. and B. Stern state:—

The market was quiet closing easier on hedge-selling.

Operators generally are awaiting President Roosevelt's speech to-night dealing with the re-organisation plans of the N.R.A. and future schemes for business recovery. Private cables state that general business conditions are improving steadily and with the stronger technical position, we look for a steady market.

Liverpool Wheat.—The following cable is to hand from our Head-Office: "Wheat improved on speculative buying encouraged by reports of bad weather Canada, dryness in Australia and liquidation nearly over."

The strength in Argentine prices on frost scares and improved off-take by home-millers has checked the decline. In view of the Liverpool contract prices being below parity with other markets (e.g. 20 cents per bushel under Chicago) we consider purchases advisable, as the exports from U.S.A. and Canadas are insignificant and no undue presure of hedge-selling is expected from Argentine and Australia until January.

N. Y. December Highest (10 a.m.)	12.74+.04
N. Y. December Lowest (2-57 p.m.)	12.57—.11
Liverpool January Highest (10-15 a.m.)	6.76+.09
Liverpool January Lowest (10-1 a.m.)	6.72+.05

Messrs. Patel Brothers have receive the following cables:—

11-45 a.m.—Less pressure, lower sterling, good Egyptian.

8-31 p.m.—Wet weather unfavourable North-East elsewhere rather less favourable than expected.

Messrs. Drennan and Co., have received the following cables:—

From Messrs. Orvis Bros and Co., New York:

Trading narrow. Demand was not sustained. Hedge selling was principle feature. Weather generally favourable.

From Messrs. A. J. Buston and Co. Hemelryk Dept Liverpool cable: Concerning copper well informed people in London markets think restriction of conference inevitable eventually Germany enquiry for copper again.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, September 26

October 1934	12.42
December 1934	12.57
January 1935	12.62
March 1935	12.71
May 1935	12.76
July 1935	12.80
Middling Spot	12.70

LINSEED OILS.

London, September 26.

Linseed Oil Naked London, per cwt. Oct. paid buyers 18/9.

Linseed Oil Naked London, per cwt. Jan/Apl. sellers 19/4-1/2.

LONDON RUBBER.

London, September 26.

Smoked sheet standard ribbed per lb 7.3/8 sellers.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New York, September 26.

October 1934	12.48
December 1934	12.58
January 1935	12.63
Middling Spot	12.87

NEW YORK.

New York, September 26.

New York 10-55 a.m.—	
October 1934	12.51
December 1934	12.66
January 1935	12.70
New York Noon Call—	
October 1934	12.50
December 1934	12.66
January 1935	12.69

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS.

New York, September 26.

	Bales.
Days' Receipts at all U. S. Ports..	29,000
Days' Exports to Great Britain	Nil
Days' Exports to the Continent	11,000

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, September 26.

	10-12 a.m. Quotations.	To-day's Price.
September 1934 ..		6.79
October 1934 ..	6.77	6.77
November 1934 ..		6.74
December 1934 ..		6.74
January 1935 ..	6.73	6.72
February 1935 ..		6.71
March 1935		6.70
April 1935		6.69
May 1935		6.67
June 1935		6.68
July 1935		6.66
August 1935 ..		6.63
September 1935 ..		6.59
Middling Spot ..		7.01

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

Liverpool, September 26.

SAKELLARIDIS:—

October 1934	8.15
November 1934	8.17
December 1934	8.14
January 1935	8.21
March 1935	8.26
May 1935	8.29
F. G. F. Spot	8.41

INDIAN COTTON,

Liverpool September 26.

BROACH:—	
Fully Good (Good Staple) ..	5.21
Fine (Good Staple)	5.36
Superfine (Good Staple) ..	5.51
C. P. OOMRA:—	
Good (No. 1 Staple)	5.16
Fine (No. 1 Staple)	5.33
Choice (No. 1 Staple) ..	5.46
BENGAL:—	
Good	3.18
Fine	3.28
Superfine	3.38
SCINDE:—	
Good	3.38
Fine	3.48
Sulphere	3.58

INDIAN COTTON PARITY

STRADDLE DIFFERENCES.

New York—Liverpool:—Liverpool New York October 153 at Cross Rate 4.96 7/8.

Bombay—Liverpool:—Broach A/M. 1935 (expected)—Liverpool May 1935 (expected) Rs. 77 1/4 at Exchange 1/6.

Bombay—New York:—Broach A/M. 1935 (expected)—New York May (closing)—New York May (closing) Rs. 73 1/2 at Cross Rate 4.96 7/8.

LIVERPOOL COTTON

The Liverpool cotton futures market was steady on straddle buying which met with hedge-selling against outside markets. The market closed quiet but steady after fluctuating within a narrow range of 4 points at a net rise of 5 to 6 points. Middling American spot cotton prices advanced 5 points at 7.01d. per lb.

INDIAN COTTON

East Indian cotton futures market was steady and closed at a rise of 5 points. At the close October was quoted 5.05, January 5.04 and March 5.02.

EGYPTIAN COTTON

There was fairly good enquiry for Egyptian cotton. Liverpool-Egyptian Sakels closed at a rise of 13 to 14 points while Uppers futures advanced 10 to 7 points.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET

The Alexadria cotton futures market was fairly active on improved demand. Sakels futures closed at a rise of 24 to 17 points while Ashmouni futures advanced 8 to 6 points.

NEW YORK SUGAR

New York, Sept 26

December 1-95—02
March 1-91—02
May 1-94—02
July 1-98—01

READY COTTON SALES

Bombay, Sept 27

50 Toyomankwak Narsulaganj 15 off
55 G G Kesha and Co Dharwa 184 1/4
100 Anandilal Poddar Palitana 148
29 A Damodar Dhandhuka 201
100 N Fatehalli Ellichpur 1 on
32 Toyomankwak Dhandhuka 150
110 G G Kesha and Co Pandhurna 185
200 Viram Ladha Jalna 7 off
50 Motiram Vaghji Comptah 187 1/4

SEEDS TRADERS' ASSOCIATION

Bombay, Sept 27

Castorseeds May delivery: Opening Rs 28/1; Lowest Rs. 27/12; Closing Rs. 27/13

Groundnut seeds February delivery: Opening Rs. 33/0/6; Highest Rs. 33/2; Closing Rs. 32/3/6

Cottonseeds January delivery: Opening Rs. 18/15; Closing Rs. 18/12

INDIAN COTTON FIGURES

Bombay, Sept. 27.

AMERICAN COTTON FIGURES.

F.P. Bales.	1934-35.	1933-34.
Receipts to date 26-9-34	1018000	1606000
Receipts Yesterday 26-9-34	29000	68000
Exports to date 26-9-34	591000	1158000
Stock at Ports 22-9-34	2689000	3250000
Stock at Interior Towns 22-9-34	1330000	1232000
Stock at Liverpool 22-9-34	993000	841000
Visible Supply 22-9-34	5559000	6662000
Quantity in Sight 22-9-34	1375000	1924000
Quantity out of Sight 22-9-34	1134000	1814000

INDIAN STERLING LOANS

3 per cent Indian Sterling Loan £84

3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan £96

4 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1948/53 £108 5/8

4 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1950/55 £113

4 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1958/68 £116

5 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1942/47 £114

5 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1936/38 £106 5/8

6 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1935/37 £104 1/2

3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan 1954/59 £101 7/8

ARGENTINE LINSEED

Buenos Aires, Sept. 26.

October	13.02+.21
November	13.16+.15

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, September 26.

	£
Rupee Paper 3-1/2 per cent.	67-1/2
Indian Stock 3 per cent. 1948 or later	84
Indian Stock 3-1/2 per cent. 1931 or later	96
Indian Stock 4-1/2 per cent. 1950/55	113
Consols 2-1/2 per cent. ..	81-3/4
Conversion Loan 3-1/2 per cent. 1961	104-7/8
War Loan, 3-1/2 per cent. 1952, ...	105-5/8
Funding Loan, 4 per cent. 1960/90	114-7/8 Ex-D.
Victory Bonds 4 per cent. ..	112-7/8
Chartered Bank of I. A. and China	15-1/2
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (London Reg.)	137
National Bank of India ..	46-1/2
P. & O. Banking Corporation,	10-3/4

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Sept. 27.

Following a decline of 11 points in New York cotton futures, the local cotton market opened to-day at Rs. 212 for Broach A/M. delivery and advanced to Rs. 212/8 on professional support. At this level there was some liquidation which depressed prices to Rs. 211/8. There was renewed buying at this level and prices improved to Rs. 212. The undertone of the market was steady.

Liverpool cotton futures market opened to-day at a decline of 4 points. The local market ruled very steady and closed at 5-30 p.m. as under:—

Broach A/M Rs. 212/12
Oomra D/J Rs. 185
Bengal D/J Rs. 133/8

BOMBAY SUGAR

Bombay, Sept. 27.

Ready Javas Rs. 13-11.
S.S. Nizam Rs. 3-13-6.
S.S. Hatarana Rs. 3-13-6.
Shipment Oct-Dec. Rs. 3-11-6.
Shipment Jan-Mar. Rs. 3-11.
Purtabpur Rs. 13-10.
Saraya Rs. 14-1.
African Rs. 13-10.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Sept 26

October	5.1 5/8+.1d.
December	5.5 3/8+.1d.
March	5.8 1/2+.7/8d.
May	5.10 3/8+.1 1/8d.

THUNDERSTORMS EXPECTED SHORTLY

Widespread Rain In North Madras

POONA, Sept. 27.

Fairly widespread rain has occurred in the North Madras Coast, Hyderabad and central parts of the country. Rainfall has been nearly general in Upper Burma, West Central India, West Central Provinces, North Hyderabad, and North Madras Coast and local in Lower Burma, Bihar, East Central Provinces, North-West Frontier Province and South Hyderabad while a few falls have occurred in Assam, Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, United Provinces, Gujarat, Bombay Deccan, South-East Madras and Deccan.

Chief amounts of rainfall are:—Port Blair one and half; Diamond Island two; Purnea three; Jalpaiguri and Shillong one; Jagdalpur three; Bareilly and Khandwa two; Indore, Nagpur, Neemuch one and half; Kanker one; Parbhani two; and Aurangabad one and half.

FORECAST:—Thunder rain will extend and increase in Central Provinces and the Peninsula.—A. P.

Bombay Records 93.61 Inches Rain

Bombay, Sept. 27.

Rainfall during 24 hours 8 a.m. of date 27-9-34 Colaba Point 0.04"; Fort 0.04"; J. J. Hospital 0.00"; Cotton Laboratory Matunga 0.00".

Total since 1st June to date Colaba Point 68 73"; Fort 93.61"; J. J. Hospital 79.30"; Cotton Laboratory Matunga 81 93".

Total for the corresponding period of 1932 Colaba Point 63.86"; Fort 70.28"; J. J. Hospital 66.52".

Total for the corresponding period of 1933 Colaba Point 55.22"; Fort 85.51"; J. J. Hospital 60.67"; Cotton Laboratory Matunga 61.19".

COLABA OBSERVATORY, BOMBAY

Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 27-9-34.

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours plus 002 inches.

Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 80.1 degrees.

Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 77.7 degrees.

Maximum temperature during 24 hours 87.6 degrees 1.7 (above normal).

Minimum temperature during 24 hours 77.5 degrees 1.8 (above normal).

Relative Humidity at 8 a.m. 89 p.c.

Direction of wind at 8 a.m. ENE

Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 7 miles per hour.

Total movement of wind in 24 hours 146 miles.

Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 16 miles per hour.

Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq. 10).8

Rainfall in 24 hours 0.04 inches.

Total rainfall during the month 4.84 inches.

Total rainfall during the year 68.77 inches.

Weather remarks:—Rain.

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 27-9-34.

At 8-7 a.m. local time (8-46 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and temperature 82.5 deg. F., a mercury barometer without index error at mean sea level would actually read 30.09 inches and a compensated aneroid 29.89 inches.

For correction of ships' instruments please subtract from the above official barometer reading 0.001" for every foot of elevation of the instrument above mean sea level.

WALL-STREET MARKET

New York, Sept. 26.

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following report showing the quotation of New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dol.
Amer. Power & Light Com	5 1/2
Amer. Power & Light Pfd. 6 dol.	14
Amer. Power & Light 5 p.c. P.A.	13
Amer. Forn. Power Com.	7
Amer. Forn. Power Gold D	54
Amer. Forn. Power 7 p.c P	16
Electric Bond Common	11
Electric Bond 5 dol Pfd.	35
Electric Bond 6 p.c. Pfd.	42
Consolidated Gas	28 1/2
Columbia Gas	9
Columbia Gas 6 p.c. Pfd. A.	63
United Corpn.	4
American Tel. & Tel.	112
Western Union Telg.	34 5/8
Radio Corp.	6
Chesapeake & Ohio	43
New York Central	22 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio R. R.	16
Erie R. R.	13
Pennsylvania R. R.	24
Union Pacific R. R.	102
Great North Pfd.	15
National Distillers	20
Hiram Walker	27
Distillers Seagram	15
Amr. Tobacco B. G	77
Dupont de Nemours	89
Canadian Pacific	14
Alaska Juneau	19
Bethelehem Steel	29
United States Steel	83 1/2
American Smelting	35
Noranda Mines	40
Int. Nickel of Canada	25
Anaconda Copper Mining	11 5/8
Kennecott Copper	19
Cerro de Pasco Copper	37
International Harvecster	30
Ford Motors of Canada "A"	21
General Motors	29 1/2
Packard Motor	4
General Electric	18
St. Oil of N. J.	44
Philips Petrol	16
Mid. Con. Petroleum	12
Socony	14 3/8
Atlantic Refining	25
Plymouth Oil	9
American Radiator	14
Eaton Mfg.	14
Chase Bank	22
National City Bank	20 1/2
Sun Life of Canada	315
Celanese Corp. of Amr.	23
General Foods	30
National Dairy	17
Remington Rand	8
Amr. Locomotive	16
Goodyear Tyre	22

Easier market. U. S. Steel operating 21 per cent of capacity.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

New York Stock Exchange:—Easy.
New York Call Rate 1 per cent.
Anaconda 11 1/2
U. S. Steel 33 1/2
G. Motors 29 3/8
I. Nickel 24 7/8
Silver Ready 49 1/2
Call Loan London 1/8 per cent.
T T. London on New York 4.96 7/8
City Bank 20 1/2
Chase Bank 22
Socony 14 1/4
N. Y. Central 28 1/2
W. U. Teleg 34 1/2
Total business 7 1/2 lacs.
T. T. N. Y./Paris 6.65 1/8

AMERICAN COTTON BELT

WEATHER FORECAST.

EAST: Generally fair. Scattered showers in Carolinas and probably thundershowers in Florida.

CENTRAL: Partly cloudy to unsettled, local showers.

WEST: Partly cloudy.

LONDON SILVER.

London, September 26.

Silver—Uncertain

Spot	22-5/16
Forward	22-3/8

LONDON GOLD

London, September 26

Gold bars Fine per oz. .. £7/1/3

LONDON DISCOUNT RATES.

London, September 26.

Bank Bills 3 months market rate 0-3/4 per cent. to 0-13/16 per cent.

Bank Bill 6 months market rate 0-15/16 per cent. to 1 per cent.

Fine Trade Bills 3 months market rate 2 per cent.

Fine Trade Bills 6 months market rate 2-1/2 per cent. to 3 per cent.

Interest Day to Day Loan 0-1/2 per cent. to 0-1/2 per cent.

Interests' 7 Days Market Loan 0-1/2 per cent. to 0-1/2 per cent.

LONDON EXCHANGES.

London, September 26.

T. T. London on:—	£
Berlin	12.35
Amsterdam	7.26
Brussels	20.97-1/2
Madrid	36.00
Milan	57.34
Berne	15.07-1/4
Paris	74.59
Prague	118.00

T. T. London on New York Closing cross rate .. 4.97-5/16

JAVA SUGAR LONDON MARKET

London, September 26.

Java Sugar Fine White Dutch Standard No. 25 C. & F. Calcutta per cwt. Sep/Oct. sellers 5/10-1/2.

C. & F. Bombay per cwt. Sep/Oct. sellers 5/7-1/2.

C. & F. Karachi per cwt. Sep/Oct sellers 5/7-1/2.

NEW YORK COFFEE MARKET

New York, September 26.

Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality) Spot 10-1/2.

BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE

Dull With Scattered Realising

OPERATORS AWAIT DEVELOPMENTS AT TATA STEEL MEETING

Bombay, Sept. 27.

The local Share Bazar was dull to-day. In the absence of any fresh developments prices ruled easy on scattered realising. There was only limited turnover and prices fluctuated within a narrow range.

There was unusual absence of any speculative activity as professional operators are awaiting developments at the annual general meeting of the Tata Iron and Steel Company, which is going to take place to-morrow.

It is anticipated, despite satisfactory progress, the Chairman's speech will not be very encouraging, because the present improved condition of the Company is merely achieved by the Government protection.

On the other hand, there is a move to give half-a-year more dividend to the holders of the Second Preference shares. In this direction they are likely to be supported by the holders of both ordinary and deferred shares.

TEXTILE MILLS.

Bombay, Sept 27.

100	Ahm. Advance	312 8
500	Bom. Cotton	65 0
250	Bombay Dyeing	843 2
250	Bradbury	110 0
100	Century	273 2
100	Central India	280 0
100	Colaba	126 4
100	Coorla	102 8
100	Crescent	7 4
250	Currim	5 0
250	David	60 0
250	Dawn	395 0
1	E D Sassoon	0-4-0
100	Finlay	110 0
100	Gokak	166 4
1000	Hindustan	1.755 0
100	Indore	109 6
50	Kastoorchand	0 8
100	Khatau	82 8
100	Kohinoor	189 6
250	Laxmi	780 0
100	Madhavji	9 0
250	Madras United	65 0
1000	Morarji	1445 0

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE.

Bombay, Sept. 27.

Bombay Dyeing 843, 846, 841, 843
Century 276, 275, 273
Central India 277, 274, 278, 280
Colaba 126
Kohinoor 191, 189, 190
New Great 177, 172, 170, 171
Simplex 92, 91/14, 92, 91/14
Swadeshi 227, 228, 225, 227, 223 225
Bundi 32/10, 32/8
Indian Cement 440, 438, 437
Tata Steel Dfd. 316, 315, 317, 313
Tata Steel Ord. 83/4, 82/14, 82/10, 82/2
Bombay Steam 304
Bombay Burma 461, 463, 460
Tata Hydro 152/3, 152/13
Andhra 1522, 1525, 1521, 1525
Tram 155/10, 157/8, 158/7, 157/3

250	Model	79 4
50	Mysore	92 8
200	New Great	170 0
100	Oosmanshahi	N72 8
100	Phoenix	306 4
25	Sassoon Silk	39 0
1000	Sholapur	2.800 0
50	Simplex	91 14
100	Swadeshi	225 0
100	Swan	64 6
25	Tata	9 12
500	Vishnu	1435 0
1000	Western	832 8
	BANKS.	
50-100	Baroda	103 8
25-50	Central	33 12
500	Imp.	1562 8
125-500	Imp. Contry.	398 12
50-100	India	121 4
5	Union	5 1 0
	CEMENTS.	
10	Bundi	32 8
70	Gwalior	96 0
250	Indian	437 8
40	Katni Df.	1150 0
100	Katni Ord.	327 8
75	Okha	192 8
10	Punjab	23 10
100	Shahabad	350 0
70	United	86 12
	INSURANCE.	
15-100	Jupiter	13 11
15-75	New India	36 10
200	Oriental	3,820 0
10-100	Vulcan	8 6
	ELECTRIC.	
100	Ahmedabad Old	182 8
1000	Andhra Valley	1525 0
10	Ajmer	9 3
50	Bom. Tram	157 3
100	Bom. Suburban	157 0
10	Broach	11 0
100	Karachi	N213 12
100	Poona	N195 0
100	Surat	173 12
100	Tata Hydro	152 13
1000	Tata Power	1213 12
	RAILWAYS.	
500	Ahm. Prantij	858 12
100	Amr. Patty	121 4
100	C. Province	91 12
100	Dhon. Baramati	90 0
100	Gujrat	72 12
100	Mandra Bhon	91 4
100	Pachora Jamner	85 0
100	Sara Sirajgunge	93 8
500	Tapty Valley	X.D.762 8
	MININGS	
10	Shivrajpur	32 6
30	Tata Steel Def.	313 12
75	Tata Steel Ord.	82 2
	MISCELLANEOUS	
100	Alcock	202
50	Belapur Sugar	220 0
250	Bom. Steam	304 6
125	Bom. Burma	460 0
50	Bom. Burma Contry.	148 2

MONEY MARKET

Exchange Quotations

Bombay, Sept. 27.

B. C. Rate—
T T D D 1/6
LONDON—
Banks selling T T D D 1/6 1/32 Sept-January.
Banks selling T T 1/6 Feb-May.
Banks selling T T 1/5 31/32 June-Sept. 35.
Banks buying T T 1/6 1/16 Oct-Dec.
Banks buying D D 1/6 3/32 Sept-Dec.
Banks buying 3 mos 1/6 5/32 Sept-Dec.
Banks buying 3 mos 1/6 1/8 Jan-Mar.
NEW YORK B. C. RATE—
T T 271 1/4
Banks selling T T 269 1/4
Banks buying T T 267
PARIS.—
Banks selling D D 557
Banks buying D D 567
AMSTERDAM.—
Banks selling D D 54 1/8
JAVA—
Banks selling D D 53 7/8
JAPAN—
Banks selling T T 79 1/2
Banks buying T T 79 1/4
HONGKONG.—
Banks selling D D 108 1/4
SHANGHAI—
Banks selling D D 98
SINGAPORE—
Banks selling D D 157 1/4
BERLIN—
Banks selling D D 91
CROSS RATE—
New York/London 4.96 3/4 26th inst.
Shanghai/London 1/5 7/16 27th inst.
Japan/London 1/2 3/8 27th inst.
Java/London 7.21 1/4 26th inst.
London/Paris 74.59 26th inst.
London/Belgium 20.97 1/2 26th inst.
London/Switzerland 15.07 26th inst.
London/Italy 57.34 26th inst.
London/Berlin 12.35 26th inst.
London/Stockholm 19.39 26th inst.
London/New York 4.97 5/16 26th inst.
London/Amsterdam 7.25 1/4 26th inst.
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Dull.
Gold £7-1-2 1/2 25th inst. £7-1-3 26th inst.
Silver London Ready 22 1/16 25th inst £2 5/16 26th inst.
Silver London Forward 22 1/8 25th inst. 22 3/8 26th inst.
Silver New York Ready 49 1/2 25th inst. 49 1/2 26th inst.
London Discounts 3 mos 3/4 p.c. 25th inst. 13/16 p.c. 26th inst.
London Discount 6 mos 1 p.c. 25th inst. 1 p.c. 26th inst.
Imperial Bank Rate 3 1/2 per cent.
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.
Money:—Call 1 per cent.
3 mos 1 1/4 per cent.
6 mos 1 1/2 per cent.
Tone:—Steady.

COTTON ARRIVALS

	Bales.
Receipts into Bombay on 25th Sept.	8,221
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1934	57,683
Receipts into Bombay same time last season	26,673
Increase	+31,010

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

Bombay, Sept. 26.

Broach A/M. 1935 Op. 212 1/2; Highest 213 3/4; Lowest 211 3/4; Closing 213
Oomra D/J. Op. 185; Highest 186 1/4; Lowest 185; Closing 185 1/4
Bengal D/J. Op. 133; Highest 134; Lowest 133; Closing 133 1/4.
Teji-Mandi for Broach A/M. 1935 (31-3-35) Rs. 20
Teji-Mandi for Broach Settlement (21-10-34) Rs. 7.

8sh.	Br. B. Petrol	4 3 6
50	Bombay Telephone	105 8
100	Ind. Bleaching	150 10
100	Ind. Radio Df.	530 0
100	Ind. Radio Ordy.	475 10
1000	Port Canning	595 0
15	Scindia	12 12
30	Tata Construction	79 4
25	Tata Oil	19 4
	PREFERENCE	
7	p c Andhra Vly.	1,340 0
6	p c Bombay Steam	293 12
7	p.c. Bom. Tram	79 0
5	p.c. Central India	497 8
7	p.c. Katni 1st	133 12
7	p.c. Katni 2nd	151 4
7	1/2 p.c. Punjab Cement	14 8
7	p.c. Tata Hydro	124 6
7½	p.c. Tata Power	1335 0
6	p.c. Tata Steel 1st	176 14
7½	p.c. Tata Steel 2nd	168 0
5-1/2	p.c. Tata Mill	17 8
7	p.c. Vishnu	849 0

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BOMBAY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1934

City Fathers Vote Against Labour

No Inquiry Into Wages And Unemployment Question

54 HOURS WEEK, GREAT STEP FORWARD SAYS MODY

By a snap majority of only one vote, the Municipal Corporation on Thursday defeated an important resolution affecting the labour question in the city. The resolution in itself was considered sensible, harmless and reasonable by some councillors but it was strongly opposed by the Progressive Party who succeeded ultimately in throwing it out by a snap majority.

FOR WORKERS' WELFARE

The proposition which was moved by Mr. Mahomed Umar Rajab ran thus:—

"That His Worship the Mayor be requested to approach the Government of Bombay with a request that they should take early steps to appoint a committee to make recommendations on the question of wages and other issues arising out of the report of the Labour Office Enquiry into the wages and unemployment."

"UNDERPAID & EXPLOITED

Mr. Rajab said in the whole presidency, Bombay was the only place where textile workmen were underpaid and exploited. Ahmedabad and Sholapur had textile mills, but the workmen were better paid there than in Bombay although the workmen of Bombay were more efficient than any other mills in the presidency. He, therefore, urged for an official enquiry on the basis of the report issued by the Labour Office so that the millowners may lay down a definite policy in regard to wages and other matters affecting the welfare of the workmen.

Mr. M. I. Sarang seconded the proposition.

TAIRSEE SPRINGS UP

Mr. L. R. Tairsee opposed the resolution and said there were a number of Unions among the textile workers where there was disunion. The Government of Bombay, therefore, brought the Conciliation Bill in the Legislative Council and also appointed a Labour Officer to enquire into the grievances of the workmen. He advised the textile workers to utilise the machinery provided by the Government first before asking for a Committee of Enquiry. He thought that the Corporation was not the right body to approach Government with the grievances of the textile workers. He also advised the millowners to seize the opportunity of peace and tranquility which prevailed now and make a good gesture towards their workmen.

AT CAPITALISTS' MERCY

Mr. A. Soares pointed out that the Labour in the city were not properly organised and were therefore at the mercy of the capitalists. He therefore urged the Government to make an independent enquiry regarding the grievances of the Labour.

Dr. S. P. Mehta opined that it was not the concern of the Corporation to interfere in the grievances of the Labour.

Rao Bahadur S. K. Bole supported the resolution and said so far as the Managing Agency System remained, the grievances of the labour would not be redressed.

Mr. E. R. Hirjibehdin though no good purpose would be served by approaching the Government since Government as a rule turned out the requests of the Corporation whenever they went to them.

HARMLESS PROPOSITION

Mr. Jamnadas M. Mehta said the Labour Office had published very important facts regarding the labour question and they should be now utilised for the peace and prosperity of the industry. There were a number of Labour Unions in the city but only one was recognised. The other unions, therefore, cannot approach the Government with the request to appoint the Enquiry Committee. The proposition was therefore brought in the Corporation to urge the Government to appoint the Enquiry Committee. He thought that the proposition was harmless, sensible and reasonable.

Rao Bahadur R. S. Asavle suggested that the Labour unions first should approach the Labour Officer and he would approach the Government for the appointment of the Conciliation Board.

MODY'S OBJECTIONS

Mr. H. P. Mody did not regard the proposition harmless and reasonable and said, of late the Corporation had made it a practice to approach Government on matters which did not concern the Bombay Municipality. It was not advisable, he said, to interfere in the affairs of others. What would they feel if the Bombay Port Trust approached Government with a request to enquire as to how many sweepers the Bombay Municipality employed. Or if the G.I.P. Railway approached the Government to enquire whether the fire brigade staff of the Municipality was adequate? He again asked the Councillors if these bodies went to the Government with these requests what would they feel? The report of the Labour Department was the fact finding report and did not construe in any way recommendations. Assuming, however, he said, that the Government appointed the Enquiry Committee, it would raise many complications to determine questions on which there would be conflicting evidence.

GREAT STEP FORWARD!

For instance, the cost of living, wage level, output and financial position of the textile industry. On these questions, both the millowners and the Labour would have to give evidence and it would take a very long time to determine the facts. The Labour Officer appointed recently by the Government was doing his best to safeguard the interests of the Labour and he advised the Labour and the Councillors to give him some time to settle down and do some useful work for the labour. Incidentally, he informed the House, that the Government intended to enquire in regard to the labour question of the presidency next month and in January the millowners would reduce 60 hours' week to 54 hours a week. This in itself was a great step forward and he hoped time would arrive when the Labour would get still more concessions.

TIME FOR ENQUIRY

Mr. S. C. Joshi refused to believe that there were any difficulty in the way of the Enquiry Committee if appointed by the Government. As the strike was over, this was the most opportune time to enquire into the grievances of the labour than when the strike is on.

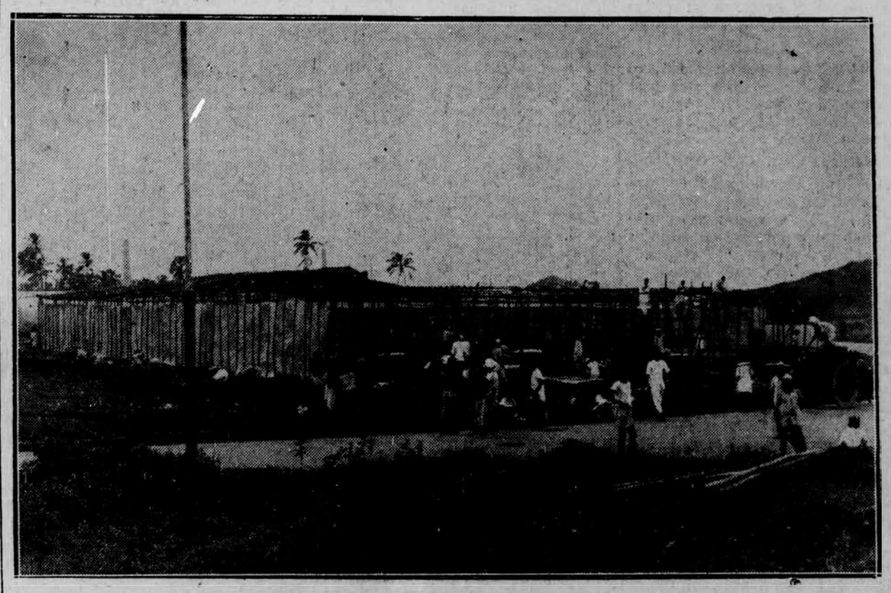
The question was put to vote and declared lost by 21 votes against 26. A poll was demanded and 23 voted for the proposition and 24 against. It was, therefore, lost by one vote.

"DR. VIEGAS STREET"

The Corporation also agreed to the proposition of Dr. A. J. Collaco to represent to the Commissioner of Police about the desirability of exercising some form of control on the keeping of dogs in view of the increase of the number of cases of dog bites in the city and also agreed to name the old Caval Street to "Dr. Viegas Street" in view of the great services rendered to the city by the late Dr. A. G. Viegas.

The Corporation then adjourned till Monday.

ABDUL GAFFAR NAGAR UNDER CONSTRUCTION



Offices of the Reception Committee of the Congress, Post and Telegraph, nearing completion at Worli Sea Face.

REWA CONSTABLES SUSPENDED

For Alleged Outrage On Two Girls

REWA, Sept. 26.

Two constables of the Rewa State police, stationed at Satna are reported to have been suspended for outraging the modesty of two young girls.

It appears that on the night of the incident, while the girls were sleeping on the bund of the Jagat Deo tank at Satna, the two constables, who were on duty, arrived there and after sending away the ward in charge of the girls, outraged their modesty.

Next morning the matter was reported to the police, and the girls were medically examined. Further investigations are in progress.—United Press.

TAGORE'S VISIT TO MADRAS

MADRAS, September 25.

Speedy arrangements are being made by the recently formed reception committee to record a fitting reception to Dr. Rabindra Nath Tagore.

In response to an influentially signed appeal under the Presidentship of the Hon. Raja of Bobbili, Chief Minister to the Government of Madras, the Tagore Purse promises to swell.

The Poet has made arrangements for arriving at Madras on October 24, and staying here for more than a week. According to the present programme Dr. Tagore will leave Madras for Calcutta on November 1.—United Press.

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL FOR ENGLAND

NEW DELHI, Sept 27.

A press note issued from the Auditor-General's office says that Mr. J. C. Nixon, I C S, Accountant-General, will proceed on a deputation to England early in October 1934, and Mr. M. Subrahmanyan at present Director of Railway Clearing Accounts, Delhi, will be posted as Accountant-General, Bengal, in his place.—A. P.

WATER FAMINE

Most Of Wells In Pudukottah Dried Up

PUDUKOTTAH, Sept. 27.

Pudukottah, is experiencing now water scarcity. So far there have been no rains and the water in the Pudukulam, the main source of drinking water supply has gone down to 13 ft. 9 inchs. Water in other tanks in the town has also gone down. Most of the wells in Thirukokarnam and Sandaipettai have dried up.

Great difficulty is being experienced by the people of the town for drinking water. Beyond a slight drizzling, lightning and thunder there has been no rain which could allay the difficulty.—United Press.

TONGA DRIVERS CHALLANED

Sequel To Recent Strike In Lahore

LAHORE, Sept 26.

Mr. M. A. Ghani, President of the Tonga-drivers Union and leader of the recent tonga-drivers' strike, who was arrested in connection with certain incidents connected with the strike, was challaned to-day under sections 332 and 147 I.P.C., read with section 109, I.P.C.

Four tonga-drivers who were arrested on the first day of the strike following an assault on a tonga-driver and a police constable have also been challaned with Mr. Ghani, who has been released on personal cognisance.—A.P.

PROBLEMS BEFORE RESERVE BANK

Investigating Officer To Visit Madras In October

MADRAS, September 25.

Under the Reserve Bank of India Act, the authorities of the Bank are expected to examine the question of bringing indigenous bankers within the schedule to the Act.

Another problem similarly to be examined is the organisation of the section of the Bank dealing with agricultural and Co-operative finance.

It is understood that Mr. Darling, I.C.S. who has been placed on special duty for investigating the two problems will visit Madras in October and have a discussion with the Committee of South Indian Chamber of Commerce. The Taxation and Finance Sub-Committee of the Chamber is in this connection engaged in preparing a memorandum.—United Press.

FREIGHT WAR IN COCHIN

Keen Competition Prevails In Costal Service

Cochin, Sept. 25.

There has been a freight war among the steamship companies engaged in coastal service, and as a result, the rates for cargo traffic have been considerably reduced.

The freight for traffic from Coconada to Cochin has been reduced by about 50 per cent. and certain services are prepared to reduce the rate further still.

This competition, if prolonged will adversely affect the resources of smaller shipping companies.—United Press.

SIX INJURED IN AHMEDABAD FIGHT

AHMEDABAD, Sept. 27.

Dharias and lathis were used in a scuffle that took place yesterday on Naroda Road in front of the Kalyan Mills between Thakurdas and Pathans over some money lending matter.

The local police arrived on the scene and sent six injured persons including three Pathans for treatment to hospital.—A. P.

NINE PERSONS ARRESTED

PATNA, Sept. 26.

Acting on information the Alamgunj police carried out searches in different parts of the city last night in connection with a burglary committed years back and recovered a revolver, a sword and spear besides stolen property.

This morning they arrested nine persons in the same connection.—A.P.

COMMUNAL TENSION IN ALIGARH ENDS

No Immediate Likelihood Of Breach Of Peace

AMRITSAR, Sept. 27.

The communal tension which was existing at village Chandpur in Aligarh District between Muslim Zamindars and Sikhs has come to an end.

The Aligarh District Magistrate had demanded securities to keep the peace from both parties, but on an appeal being preferred before the Sessions Judge, the Sikhs were discharged while the appeals filed by Muslim Zamindars were dismissed.

Receipts receiver at the Golden Temple Committee office indicate that there is no likelihood of the breach of peace.—United Press.

A VOTE AGAINST CONGRESS IS A VOTE FOR GOVT:

Sardar Patel Explains Two-Fold Aim In Decision To Enter Legislatures

Sardar Patel sends the following message to the Madras Presidency:—

"I am glad that Congressmen of the Madras Presidency, practical as they are, have sunk all personal prejudices and party differences and are working together wholeheartedly for the common end, namely the successful demonstration of disapproval of the repressive policy of the Government and the strength of the Congress-hold on the Indian people. It is a great relief to find that in Madras, there is no controversy about the decision of the Working Committee on the Communal Award.

REMINDER TO PUBLIC

Let me remind the public that the Congress enters into the field of the legislature with the sole object of demonstrating two things, firstly that the country, as I said earlier, thoroughly condemns the stark repressive policy carried on by the Government during the last four years and secondly we reject in toto the reactionary proposals of Reforms, clothed in the White Paper. Any single vote that will be recorded in favour of non-Congressmen, however eminent he may be, will be a vote for the Government and, therefore, for approval of the Government's dual policy. I expect that the people of Madras will solidly support the Congress candidates at all places and return them with thumping majorities.

TO THE MINORITIES

"One word to the minority communities on behalf of the Congress, that all minorities will have full legitimate protection of their interests, consistent with national interests against foreign exploitation and domination. It is an insult to the intelligence of the people to ask them to believe that the interests of minorities will be better protected by people who have exploited tremendous sacrifices of thousands of men and women during the last struggle and sold the country's interests on occasions of crisis in vital matters.

CONGRESS FOR ALL

Congress candidates are not going to the Assembly to serve their own ends. They will be there with the sole purpose of serving the interests of the nation, including the interests of minorities. The Karachi Congress has laid down principles for the protection of minorities and it must be assumed that those interests can be best protected by those who have pledged to serve the country's interest and none else. Let none, therefore, be misled by empty talk of securing better protection to minorities. The Congress stands for complete independence for all."

FATAL SEQUEL TO CASTE DINNER

10 Persons Jailed For Rioting, Resulting In Murder Of One

Ten persons were sentenced to various terms of imprisonment by Mr. Justice B. J. Wadia at the High Court Sessions in connection with rioting resulting in the murder of one man following a dispute over a caste-dinner at Dharavi in October 1933.

Shankar Krishnaji Kavde, Vishnu Nana, Bhairoo Bapoo and Sayaji Balaji were found guilty by the jury on charges of rioting, voluntarily causing hurt and culpable homicide not amounting to murder. The first of them was sentenced to 5 years' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 300 and the second to 5 years' rigorous imprisonment. The last two were sentenced to 4 years' rigorous imprisonment each.

Six other accused who were found guilty of rioting and causing hurt were sentenced to two years' rigorous imprisonment each.

Mr. J. C. Forbes appeared for the prosecution. Mr. M. K. Azad with Mr. Mathalone, instructed by Messrs. Gadkari and Chari, defended the first accused, Mr. P. A. Mahale instructed by Mr. Dharkar, defended the other accused.

BANNU CITIZENS SUPPORT DR. KHAN

BANNU, Sept. 25.

At a mass meeting at Bannu the following resolution was unanimously adopted, Maulvi Ghulam Sarwar presiding:

"This mammoth public meeting welcomes the decision of Dr. Khan Sahib to seek election to the Legislative Assembly from the Frontier Province Constituency and reposing full confidence in him, sincerely desires that none other would offer himself as a candidate in opposition to him."—United Press.

U. S. THEOSOPHISTS WELCOMED

RANGOON, Sept. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Warrington, American Theosophists, arrived here yesterday and an address of welcome was presented to them last evening at Olcott Lodge.—United Press.

DIGAMBER MUNI DEAD

He Had Recently Defied Cult Of Nudism

JUBBULPUR, September 27.

Munindra Sagar, alias Munnalal, a Digamber Jain Muni (Sadhu) died early this morning in Victoria Hospital, Jubbulpur, after a protracted illness. His funeral was largely attended by his followers.

The deceased, a few days prior to his death had denounced the cult of nudism and started to wear clothes and take medicine and food both during day and night. He, it is understood, has left a large fortune, made out of the public contributions, behind him.—United Press.

NO CONGRESS RIVAL FOR ANEY

AMRAOTI, Sept. 27.

The "Udaya," a local vernacular bi-weekly has published the news that when a responsible leader of Berar saw Mahatma Gandhi at Wardha eliciting his opinion about setting up a Congress candidate against Mr. Aney the Mahatma is said to have replied that setting up of a Congress candidate by the Congress Parliamentary Board is an inconceivable thing and even if the Board ventures to do so he (Mahatma) would personally tour Berar to canvass in favour of Mr. Aney.—United Press.

Police Courts To Be Amalgamated

CALCUTTA, Sept. 26.

With effect from 24th October, the Central and Northern Division Police Courts, Calcutta, will be amalgamated into one.—A.P.

KERALA POET HONOURED

RANGOON, Sept. 27.

Mr. Vallathol, the poet of Kerala, who arrived here recently was given a public reception at the Jubilee Hall last evening. Mr. A. K. Pillai, Bar-at-Law presiding.

The address was presented in a silver casket. All the Indian communities including a large number of Burmans attended the function.—United Press.

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